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TWENTY GERMANS REPORTED SHOT BY FRENCH

LEGISLATORS GIVEN CHOICE OF TWO TAX BILLS

GREEKS WARNED TO PREPARE FOR CALL TO COLORS

Mobilization Orders Held up Pending Developments in Near East Situation

MOSUL OIL DISPUTE BROUGHT BEFORE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Action Delayed Pending Acceptance of League Jurisdiction by Turks

GENEVA.—By The Associated Press.—The Greek minister at Berne, through the newspapers, has notified Greeks of the class of 1923 to hold themselves in readiness for a call to the colors. He said there would be no exemptions.

Sign Peace Conventions

LAUSANNE.—By The Associated Press.—Two conventions growing out of the deliberations of the Lausanne peace conference were signed Tuesday between Turkey and Greece. One provides for the mutual return of prisoners of war and hostages. The other puts into effect the compulsory exchange of populations arranged.

The signatories were Ismet Pasha and Riza Nur Bey for Turkey and M. Venizelos and Cadamaunos for Greece.

The conventions will become effective immediately.

League Discusses Mosul

PARIS.—By The Associated Press.—The dispute between Great Britain and Turkey over the Irak frontier, involving the oil producing fields of Mosul, was brought before the council of the league of nations today by the earl of Balfour. The council took no action in the matter as it is awaiting an indication from the Turks as to whether they will accept the league's jurisdiction.

Mosul, said Lord Balfour, was a question for the league to consider, because the Irak was mandated territory, Great Britain acting in that territory in behalf of the league of nations.

Peace of Europe involved

The question furthermore was of interest to the league, he said, because of the menace to peace that was involved in the dispute. He said he thought Article XVII of the league covenants might give the Turks apprehension that they would not be admitted to an equal footing by the council.

Article XVII provides that in the event of a dispute between a league member and a state not a member, the latter "shall be invited to accept the obligations of membership in the league for the purpose of such dispute, upon such conditions as the council may deem just."

Lord Balfour said he had information indicating the Turks feared that under this article the council might place them in a condition of inferiority in an arbitration dispute. He assured the council it was the desire of the British government that the Turks be invited to sit with the council in the Mosul case, which Great Britain desires to have the league arbitrate, on an equal footing with the other members. M. Vivianni, for France, concurred in Lord Balfour's expressions.

WEATHER RECORD

For La Crosse and vicinity—Unsettled and much colder tonight; moderate cold wave. Wednesday generally fair and colder.

For Wisconsin—Unsettled tonight with snow in east portion; much colder with moderate cold wave in northwest portion. Wednesday generally fair and colder.

For Minnesota—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Moderate cold wave tonight. Colder Wednesday in east portion.

For Iowa—Generally fair tonight and Wednesday, except rain or snow in east portion tonight. Much colder tonight and in east portion Wednesday.

TODAY'S TEMPERATURES

6 a. m.	32	10 a. m.	34
7 a. m.	32	11 a. m.	35
8 a. m.	33	12 m.	35
9 a. m.	33	1 p. m.	36

NATION-WIDE RECORD

	Low last night	Yesterday's high	Prec.
Bismarck	—6	10	..
Chicago	30	38	.01
Denver	18	54	.01
Helena	—12	2	..
Huron	8	28	..
Jacksonville	42	70	..
Kansas City	44	50	..
LA CROSSE	20	36	.02
Madison	26	34	..
Memphis	46	50	1.40
Medicine Hat	—26	10	..
Milwaukee	32	32	..
New York	16	32	..
New Orleans	62	78	..
San Francisco	36	46	.12
Minneapolis	24	38	.01
Washington	28	42	..

RIVER BARGE LINE TO START IN WITH FOUR BIG CARRIERS

River Transit Company Organized to Run Craft from St. Louis to Minneapolis

EXPERIMENT OF LAST YEAR PROVES VALUE OF SERVICE

La Crosse Asked to Subscribe Stock for Larger Company

To encourage a revival of commercial traffic on the upper river to the end that La Crosse shippers may benefit by the lower water rates, the traffic bureau of the Chamber of Commerce is backing the efforts of the River Transit company to establish a weekly barge line between St. Louis and Minneapolis. A local committee will assist in the sale of stock here.

A statement of the plans of the new corporation and the benefits accruing to La Crosse is submitted by the traffic bureau of the Chamber of Commerce as follows:

"On June 1, 1922 Mr. J. S. Brodie of St. Paul placed in operation on the Mississippi river between Minneapolis and La Crosse a steel barge with a capacity of three carloads (40,000 pounds each), the barge being propelled by a motor boat. Weekly service was maintained until September 10th during which time a very low stage of water prevailed, and which was lower than any preceding stage for a period of twenty-two years. Power was utilized for doing the bulk of the freight handling. For the first six weeks very little freight was offered, but when shippers became convinced that the service was dependable and realized that it meant a twenty percent saving in freight charges the tonnage steadily increased to a capacity loading.

Experiment a Success

"Mr. Brodie, through actual operation on a small scale, has demonstrated to the satisfaction of all who have analyzed the situation the practical feasibility of river transportation on the upper Mississippi. Based on reliable figures resulting from actual operation Mr. Brodie has submitted a statement showing with reasonable certainty what can be accomplished with a more extensive service built up along the lines of modern methods of river freighting.

"A corporation, styled River Transit Co., has been organized under the laws of Minnesota with a capital of $200,000 to begin operations early in 1923 between St. Louis and Minneapolis. For the present, however, it is intended to sell only $67,500 of the capital stock which will be used to build the equipment and furnish a moderate capital.

Plan Four Steel Barges

"The fleet will consist of two steel power barges with a capacity of 160,000 pounds each and two steel cargo barges with a capacity of 200,000 pounds each, or a capacity of 360,000 pounds for each trip, with a weekly service.

"Stock is being subscribed in the Twin Cities and it is expected that La Crosse will give the proposition substantial support.

"A detailed statement covering the operations of the boat last season, also estimated cost of operating for this season and method of financing can be seen in the office of the Traffic Bureau, Chamber of Commerce.

"A memorandum of freight rates on various commodities comparing all rail with river rates will appear in a later issue."

ARMED BAND BLOWS UP DUBLIN RESIDENCE OF SIR HORACE PLUNKETT

DUBLIN.—By The Associated Press.—Sir Horace Plunkett's house at Fox Rock, county Dublin, was raided by an armed band Tuesday. After expelling the occupants the visitors blew up the front part of the residence. The explosion shook the village.

Sir Horace is in the United States and the only occupants of his residence were servants.

It is reported that Liam Deasy, who is alleged to have shared with Liam Lynch the supreme control of the Irish republicans, has been arrested.

MAGNUSON IS FREED ON BONDS OF $10,000

WISCONSIN RAPIDS, Wis.—John Magnuson, charged with the mailing of the "Yule Bomb" which killed Mrs. James R. Chapman, wife of a Wood county supervisor late last December, was freed on bonds of $10,000 by Circuit Court Judge Byron Parke at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning.

FARMERS MAKING MARKETING PLANS AT MADISON MEET

Co-operative Merchandising is Advocated by Prof. Macklin of U. of W.

ESSENTIALS OF THE SYSTEM ARE EXPLAINED BY THE PROFESSOR

Sir Horace Plunkett, Irish Agriculturist, to Speak

MADISON, Wis.—Co-operative merchandising of farm products was advocated as the one feasible means of solving the agriculture marketing problem of the country by Professor Theodore Macklin, professor of agricultural economics at the Wisconsin Agricultural college, speaking Tuesday before the Farmers' conference here.

"Under production is a hopeless way to try to help farmers' ills, Professor Macklin declared. Instead, he said, the producers should attempt to make "two consumers grow where one grew before by corporation merchandising."

"Unrivaled service must be given by Wisconsin farmers if they are seriously interested in improving their purchasing power," he continued. "To accomplish this, farmers must establish a successful co-operative sales system.

Seven Essentials

"There are seven essentials to such a system. There must be a co-operative commodity marketing company, to which farmers must deliver all of the commodities to be sold. These commodities must be standardized and made better, and attractively named and advertised. Co-operation of the distributing trade will have to be secured, and the distribution so timed as to meet the consumers' desire. Finally the farmer who makes the better product must receive the better price."

Sir Horace Plunkett, a leader of the agricultural movement in Ireland and a member of the Irish senate, is to address the conference Tuesday telling of the need for a comprehensive co-operative movement.

Show of Wisconsin's pure grain opened Tuesday under direction of the agricultural experiment station.

Emphasizes Social Side

The necessity for stressing the social side of farmers' co-operative enterprises if they are to succeed, was emphasized by Sir Horace Plunkett, Irish agriculturalist, addressing the Farmers' conference. He urged that farmers, in organizing co-operative marketing associations, provide means for getting the members together in groups to discuss their problems and become acquainted. The social side of co-operation has a marked bearing on its success, Sir Horace declared.

His experience has shown, the speaker said, that co-operative enterprises among farmers will be successful where attempted organization of joint stock companies fails. This experience has been borne out both in Ireland and in this country, he said.

Gradual extension of co-operative marketing associations on a commodity basis as they succeed, was advocated. To commence they should be limited to single divisions of a specific product, Sir Horace declares.

Neglected Marketing

Edward Nordman, commissioner of markets for Wisconsin, told the farmers that they have given too much thought to production at the expense of marketing.

"In considering the marketing problem, it must be considered," he said, "that the demand for goods is the determining factor in marketing, and that this demand comes only as a result of steady employment at fair wages and salaries. In order, however, to solve this problem in a satisfactory way farmers must get away from the old notion that their marketing troubles can be cured by such things alone as standardization, advertising and so on.

"It is necessary to commence a study of influences on marketing and to take the comprehensive view of the problem."

CALIFORNIA SHIPS 2,000 BULLFROGS TO JAP BREEDERS

SAN FRANCISCO.—More than 2,000 bull frogs caught from California ponds and marshes will be shipped to Japan on the Korea Maru, February 7, to be used in that country for breeding purposes.

The frogs were caught for the Japanese department of commerce which is fostering the frog industry as a means of increasing what is regarded there as a choice article of diet.

SEVERSON AND DAHL MEASURES ARE SUBMITTED

Proposals to Adjust Tax Burden of State Laid Before Legislature by Administration Leaders

REPRESENT DIVERGENT VIEWS OF MEMBERS OF BLAINE FACTION

Neither of Measures Has Official Backing of the Governor

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—A choice of general income tax bills was placed before the Wisconsin legislature Tuesday, when Speaker John L. Dahl in the assembly, and Senator Herman J. Severson, in the senate, both administration leaders, introduced two distinct bills providing means of raising approximately $13,000,000 from incomes in the state.

Each of the bills is complete in itself providing for readjustment of the tax burden in Wisconsin. The two of them represent divergent views held by members of the administration group in the senate and assembly, concerning the methods of income taxation, and neither has the official backing of Governor Blaine. It is a matter for the legislature to determine which shall be enacted, the governor has said.

Proposes Income Surtax

Senator Severson proposes an income surtax on all earning over $3,000. He would not touch the present income tax law, which provides revenue largely for local purposes. All of the revenue from his surtax, ranging from one to twelve per cent on incomes from $4,000 to $75,000 and over, and from his proposed flat four per cent tax on corporation earnings, would go to the state. His bill would leave the personal property tax offset intact, and it would repeal the existing mill tax for the University, Normal Schools and common schools as well as the sur-tax for the teachers retirement fund. The section of the statutes exempting stock dividends from taxation is repealed by this bill and exemptions are increased.

Suggests Graduated Tax

Speaker Dahl introduced a bill which concerns the state income tax law as a unit. He proposes to repeal the personal property tax-off-set, and the section of the statutes exempting stock dividends from taxation, imposing a graduated tax of from one to 20 per cent on taxable incomes ranging between $1,000 and $75,000. A flat six per cent tax would be imposed on corporation earnings, exemptions raised for the head of a family and for children, and present mill and sur-taxes for special purposes repealed. Returns from the tax would be reapportioned to give the state 50 percent, municipalities 40 per cent and counties 10 per cent.

Establish School Fund

Both bills establish a state income tax fund from which appropriations for the University, Normal Schools, common schools and the teachers retirement fund are to be made. Each of the measures would practically double the receipts from income taxation, and would result in a marked saving to property owners.

Essential differences lie in the repeal of the personal property off-set Dahl bill not contained in the Severson bill and the sur-tax feature of the Severson bill, which is not part of Speaker Dahl's proposal.

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INCREASED STATE REVENUES PROVIDED UNDER TAX BILLS SUBMITTED TO LEGISLATORS

Severson Measure Urges Surtax On Larger Incomes

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—The Severson income surtax bill, enactment of which would increase the revenue derived by the state from incomes over $6,500,000 annually, was introduced into the upper house of the Wisconsin legislature by Senator Herman J. Severson, Iola.

Senator Severson, through his bill, would leave the present income tax with the personal property offset unaffected, and then repeal the three-eighths mill tax for the university, the seven-tenths mill tax for the common schools, the one-sixth mill tax for the normal schools and the income surtax to provide for the teachers' retirement fund, imposing at the same time a graduated surtax ranging from one to twelve per cent on incomes over $4,000, to raise the $6,500,000 needed as a result of the repeal of the mill and surtaxes.

Raises Exemptions

The bill calls for a flat four per cent tax on the incomes of corporations, repeals the section of the stat-

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Dahl Tax Bill Was Originally Blaine Measure

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—A general income tax bill, estimated to raise $13,000,000 from earnings in Wisconsin, $6,500,000 of which is to go to the state and $6,500,000 to localities, was introduced into the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature by Speaker John L. Dahl, Barron. This measure was originally intended as the administration tax bill.

The Dahl bill, drawn by Judge Charles D. Rosa of the state tax commission, repeals all of the surtaxes upon property and income. Likewise it repeals the secrecy clause to the income tax law the personal property tax off-set to that statute and the provisions exempting stock dividends from taxation. A flat six per cent rate on the earnings of corporations is set by the proposal, which calls for redistribution of the tax returns so as to give 50 per cent to the state, 10 per cent to the county and 40 per cent to the locality where 10 per cent now goes to the state, 70 per

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THREE PERSONS SUE GEORGE SATER; HURT IN AUTO COLLISION

C. R. Austin, Daughter and Emeline Burdick Ask Damages for Injuries Received Last Fall

Three damages suits growing out of an automobile collision on Mormon Coulee road last fall, in which three persons allege they sustained severe injuries have been filed in circuit court. The complainants are C. R. Wautin and his daughter, Ruth, and Emeline Burdick. George Sater is the defendant in all three suits. Emiline Burdick asks $2,000 Austin $5,000 and Miss Austin $2,000. Austin was driving his car southeasterly on Mormon Coulee road and Sater was driving toward town when the accident occurred. The three suits charge Sater with negligent driving. Austin alleges his right arm was fractured, permanently disabling him. No answer has been filed by Sater to any of the suits, as yet.

SPANISH PRISONERS TORTURED BY MOORS REPORT SURVIVORS

MADRID.—Spanish soldiers and civilians recently ransomed from their Moorish captors have brought to Madrid stories of the sufferings they underwent while in Morocco. They said that on the occasion of Spanish victories several of their number were shot.

General Navairro was obliged to do menial work with a ball and chain attached to his leg. Women were tormented publicly.

Most of the released prisoners are in such poor health that they will have to spend a considerable time in hospitals.

NEPHEW OF LUNDIN SURRENDERS SELF ON GRAFT CHARGE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Virtus Rohm, Fred Lundin's nephew, has surrendered to the Los Angeles police, Assistant Attorney General Frederick Brown, announced Tuesday. He said he had received a telegram to that effect from the Los Angeles police. Rohm was one of those indicted in connection with the school board alleged "graft." An early trial of the indicted man is indicated.

ABNORMAL TEMPERATURES IN MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

CHICAGO.—While colder weather overspread the northwestern states and continued in the New England section, the south and middle states and those of the upper Mississippi valley east of the Rocky Mountains enjoyed abnormal temperatures.

SANFORD CONFIRMED

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The nomination of Judge E. T. Sanford of Tennessee to be an associate justice of the supreme court was confirmed by the senate.

NAMED SCHOOL EDITOR

MILTON, Wis.—Raymond Crossley has been elected editor in chief of the Milton College Review to succeed Raymond Sholtz.

FORMER DEATH IN WOOD COUNTY LAID TO BOMB AUTHOR

Schneck, Drowned in 1921, Victim of the Person Who Sent Yule Bomb, Says Magnuson

WISCONSIN RAPIDS, Wis.—Robert Schneck, Wood county farmer, who was drowned in a river near Richland Center, Wis., on Sept. 12, 1921, was the victim of the same person who sent the "mail bomb" which killed Mrs. James R. Chapman, wife of a Wood county supervisor, according to a statement made to the Wisconsin Rapids Tribune by John Magnuson, farmer charged with the murder of Mrs. Chapman and who was released on a $10,000 bail Tuesday by Judge Byron Parke.

"Schneck was the one who circulated the petition to the farmers of the Mill Creek district asking them to put the Canal project through," declared Magnuson. "Considerable resentment was noticeable among the farmers of the county because they believed that Schneck was being paid for his work by interests among the business men in Marshfield. If you get the one who drowned him at Richland Center you will find the perpetrator of the bomb package which was sent to Chapman. The mob killing was only the first killing in the fight against the drainage project."

Schneck was drowned in a river near Richland Center while wading with his two sons, according to W. E. Huffman of the Wisconsin Rapids Tribune in his statement to the Associated Press. The man was drowned in but few feet of water while his sons were swimming but a short distance away. When they were leaving they called to him and received reply that "he was all right." When the party returned they found him face downwards in the water, dead.

CHARGE ATTEMPT BY STATE DEPARTMENTS TO CHANGE LAWS

MADISON, Wis.—Bills prepared by the revisor of statutes for enactment by the legislature to clarify and consolidated statutes, were re-referred to the judiciary committee of the senate when that body found that an attempt had been made to insert new material in the measures.

Senators on the floor charged that state departments were attempting, through the revisor of statutes, to change important laws surreptitiously, without due consideration by the legislature. They expressed it as their opinion that no new matter should come into the legislature in revisors proposals.

Senator Titus, Fond du Lac, introduced a bill in the upper house proposing to cut the age of compulsory school attendance from 18 years at present to 17 years.

CONFIRM APPOINTMENTS

MADISON, Wis.—The senate Tuesday confirmed the appointments of J. Q. Emery as dairy and food commissioner, L. A. Tarrell as a member of the industrial commission, Drs. L. A. Steffen and Gustav Windecheim as members of the state board of health and A. C. Dick, John H. Kaiser and J. G. Lazansky as members of the state board of public affairs.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK TRAIN OF WEYGAND

French Leaders Go to Brussels for Conference on Establishment of Customs Barrier

DEPORTATION OF RECALCITRANT OFFICIALS ORDERED BY FRANCE

Sabotage Increasing as Rail Strike Spreads Throughout the Ruhr

PARIS. — By the Associated Press.—The foreign office declared Tuesday there was no truth in the report (printed by a Paris newspaper) that twenty Germans had been killed in a clash with French troops at Boppard, near Bingen. There had been no such trouble at Boppard as reported, it was stated. The burgomaster was arrested for resisting the orders of the French military authorities, but there was no rioting.

The foreign office, in complaining that a great deal of inconsequent news was still in circulation regarding events in the Ruhr and on the left bank of the Rhine, said the reports of the strikes were greatly exaggerated and that the situation had improved. Coblenz, Bonn and Treves were the only points to the west of the Rhine where the railroad employes were still out, it was stated.

PARIS.—By the Associated Press.—A report, unconfirmed during the night, that twenty Germans had been killed in a collision with French troops at Boppard, and the announcement that General Weygand and Minister of Public Works Le Trocquer had gone to Brussels to discuss the Ruhr situation with the Belgian government were leading topics of public discussion here Tuesday morning.

The Boppard incident was reported by the Echo de Paris which asserted that the firing resulted from a demonstration by nationalists in protest against the arrest of the city's burgomaster.

General Weygand and M. Le Trocquer, who recently returned from a visit to Duesseldorf, have gone to Brussels to arrange for concerted action with the Belgian government, it is said, before taking such a definite step as the establishment of a customs barrier in the Ruhr.

May Extend Invasion

This move, it now appears, will require more preliminary work than had been anticipated. To make it really effective, it is believed the French will be obliged to extend their line to Frankfort.

The railroad and postal services are to be taken over immediately, inasmuch as the necessary personnel for operating them is now on the spot. All recalcitrant German officials, it is announced, will hereafter be ejected even more promptly than to date.

There is still talk of appointing a high commissioner to direct the entire Ruhr district, but only the names of civilians are now being mentioned in this connection.

Attempt to Wreck Train

DUESSELDORF.—By the Associated Press.—An attempt to wreck the train on which General Weygand and Minister of Public Works Le Trocquer were traveling to Duesseldorf from Paris is reported to have occurred at Dueseren Monday evening. Other incidents of sabotage, such as the wrecking of signal boxes on the Ruhr railroads, have also come to the attention of the occupation officials.

The train on which the general and the minister were passengers was halted in time to avert striking an obstruction placed on the tracks. General Weygand and Le Trocquer proceeded to Duesseldorf by automobile.

Accident Say Trainmen

German trainmen at Dueseren assert that the incident was unintentional and that the obstruction was part of a wrecked car which was smashed up in a rear-end collision Monday morning.

General Weygand and M. Le Trocquer had a long conference Monday evening with General Degoutte, M. Coste and other occupation officials, and later the minister left for Brussels to ask the Belgian government's approval of the decision reached.

Germans Stand Firm

BERLIN. — By the Associated Press.—Germans beyond the Ruhr Tuesday had the assurance of Fritz Thyssen that their fellow countrymen in the all but isolated occupied

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DIRECT ELECTION OF STATE SCHOOL BOARD ADVOCATED BY CARY

Schools Have Suffered Sadly from "Stupid and Inefficient" Boards, is Claim

MADISON, Wis.—If the educational system of Wisconsin must be controlled by boards those bodies should be elected by the people instead of made appointive by the governor as at present, C. P. Cary, for 18 years state superintendent of public instruction said in a publis statement. He criticized the present state boards whose actions he said are "ordinarily stupid and inefficient."

"My opinion is that boards are at best a necessary evil," Mr. Cary declared. "They refuse to act when prompt action is necessary. They are afraid of the political cars. They are adepts at passing the buck and are willing to leave things of the utmost importance to the office boy or to George."

The former superintendent based his assertions on an experience which he said, if put together would total 75 years of membership on the state's educational bodies.

"Board members should not 'represent' any church, any political faction, any occupation any clique any locality," Mr. Cary's statement continued. "Any other principle would doom the board to endless wrangles over petty things as well as large. The board members should represent the most intelligent, the most statesmanlike, the most unselfish spirit of the times.

"Any statutory provision for limiting the governor in his appointments is unwise and is wrong in principle. It may be good politics of a petty sort but it is not in the interest of the state.

"The university has suffered sadly and is suffering now from an overplus of alumni on the board of university regents. It is marking time now chiefly for that reason.

"A board should be elected by the people, instead of being appointed. Then it would concern itself first of all with what the people want instead of what the appointing officer wants."

MRS. STEVENS, 97, FILLMORE PIONEER, DIES OF OLD AGE

RUSHFORD, Minn. With the recent death of Mrs. B. E. Stevens, of this city Fillmore county loses its oldest resident, as this lady was ninety-seven years, five months and twenty days old at the time of her death. She was formerly Betsey Eveline Patridge and was born in New York state at Cooperstown in 1825. When she reached womanhood, she was married to Oliver Sisum, of Erie county, Penn., and after his death moved to Wausaw, Wis., where several years later she was united in marriage to Mr. Stevens, who died about twenty years ago. Since that time, her home has been made with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willmarth. But a few days' illness preceded her death, the infirmities of her advanced age making recovery impossible. Funeral services were held from Emmanuel Episcopal church with the rector, Rev. Albert Twitchell, officiating and interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery, a short distance west of this city.

BRINGING UP FATHER

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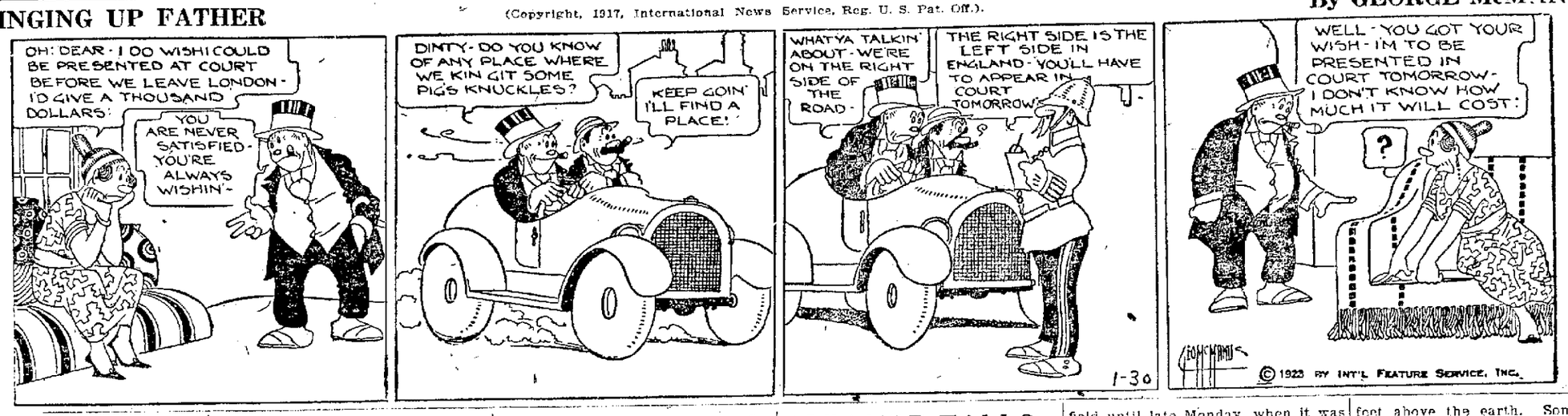

OPTIMISM AND GOOD CHEER IN RELIGION OF THE CHRISTIANS

Rev. C. R. Shaver Compares Christianity With Other Religions Sunday Morning

"Christian religion is both unique and profuse in its rare optimism and elements of good cheer, as compared with the other great religions of the world," said Reverend Claude R. Shaver in his morning discourse at First Presbyterian church on Sunday.

"Compare it with the harsh tone of Mohammedanism, or the gloomy mysticism of Buddhism. Think how it was launched in world thought just at a needy moment. When Greek philosophy and Roman law seemed to have spent their force, then the Christmas 'Tidings of Great Joy' were announced, starting thereby the nations upon musical waves of carols and oratorios, which were truly new notes in the realm of religion. They found an echo, a few years later, when the Apostle Paul stood upon the unsteady deck of a storm driven ship and declared, 'Be of good cheer. I believe God.'

Helps With Problems

"If that message helped to solve problems and to impart encouragement in those centuries, it can help likewise today; when again the times seem to be out of joint. As we review the European crisis, and the bolshevistic upheaval, and the tragedy of Armenia, we feel very much like those tempest tossed seamen; and we wonder where is the remedy. Then we have a glimpse of Mr. Sherwood Eddy, foreign secretary of the Y. M. C. A., now facing the wreck of bandit ridden China, where revolution and graft have sapped the vitality of that vast empire. Note that this messenger of Christian thought is not discouraged as he goes from city to village and university to college saying, 'Be of good cheer. We have a solution for your complicated problem: in the standards of righteousness enunciated by the Christ.'

"Now, if we compare the faith of this modern apostle with that of Paul long ago, we will find this striking note of similarity; that their 'belief in God' is not a passive, dormant, intellectual assent but a vital, conscious recognition of a God who has a plan. Contrast this with the average man's professed creed. For today every man says he believes in God; or in a 'Supreme Being' as the fraternal societies state it. But most of this class never allow their belief to affect their conduct. Test it by the manner in which most American citizens spend Sunday. What a small proportion ever take God into account, either in private devotions or in public worship. They would be insulted if you would call them atheist or heathen; but, by their ordinary practices, I ask you, have they risen above the thought level of these Godless peoples

Definite Plan

"It was an imminent God with a definite life plan which Paul recognized as he faced that crew of discouraged heathen. Should not the world today return to that intimate consciousness, and express such belief in submission to a higher will? Because we have mastered the sea and the air, in so far as physical life is concerned, is no reason for ignoring the supreme wisdom and over-ruling authority which created the seas and who holds the worlds in the hollow of His hand. Was not Tennyson right when he wrote:

"'Our little systems have their day.
They have their day and cease to be.
They are but broken lights of Thee:
And thou, O Lord, art more than they.'

"Would there be so many 'broken lights' among the kingdoms and empires of today, if religion in its simplicity were allowed to enter the domain of diplomacy. The league of nations was a failure, partly because no higher authority than the big four allies was recognized. Suppose there had been the preamble worded something like this: 'Recognizing our responsibility to an unseen, ever present God of justice,' would it not have clarified the atmosphere of much selfish dust and of political debris. Would it not have thrown new light upon the France-Turkish alliance and have helped to reconcile the irreconcilables.

Independent Thinking

"It is true that the great war developed much independence in thinking and in action. But it is also true that much of this modern thinking is superficial and short sighted, failing to touch the fundamental issues of life; as Jesus Christ touches them in his several parables and epigrams about man's inner nature and the sovereign God, in whose image we are all created. 'Ye shall seek me and find me; when ye shall search for me with all your heart,' is still prophetic encouragement to religion and its refining quest for righteousness."

BUTTER PROFITS LARGE

CROOKSTON Minn.—"Dollars and cents" results are being realized by dairymen of the Red River valley who deliver to creameries affiliated with the Minnesota Co-operative Creameries association. This fact is brought out in the report of C. Lindberg, field man for this district. Through combining shipments and obtaining carload rates, the net saving for participating dairymen on 182 cars shipped from April 1 to December 31, 1922, was $21,350 on 4,492,609 pounds.

HAAS LEADS PATROLMEN

EAU CLAIRE.—John Haas of Fall Creek, Eau Claire county, has been named the kingpin of all hard workers who tramp over the roads of the state to fix bad places. Haas was awarded $150 in prizes at the road school in Madison for being the best patrolman of the state in 1922. Eau Claire county won a silver loving cup for having made the greatest progress in road construction and maintenance in 1922.

Y. M. C. A. WORKER DEAD

LONDON.—Lord Arthur Fitzgerald Kinnaird, prominent in Young Men's Christian Association work, died Tuesday. He had been ill for some time but the end is believed to have been hastened by the sudden death of Lady Kinnaird a few days ago.

MAY LOSE HAND

STEVENS POINT, Wis.—While threshing soy beans near Pickerel Lake Portage county, Leonard Vaughn had his hand caught in a feed cutter and may lose it.

SAWMILL SOLD

LAONA, Wis.—The Lonier sawmill here has been sold to the Hines Lumber company and will be moved to Crandon.

AVIATOR FALLS FOUR MILES BUT SAVES HIMSELF

Unconscious During Fall, Recovers and Rights Plane Within 400 Feet of Earth.

MOUNT CLEMONS, Mich. — Unconscious because of the severe cold, First Lieutenant James D. Summers, a pilot of the first pursuit group at Selfridge field, fell from an altitude of 19,000 feet to within 400 feet of the ground Fore Saturday afternoon, a drop of nearly four miles, before he recovered his senses, righted his plane and made a safe landing. Announcement of his experience was kept secret by aviators at Selfridge field until late Monday, when it was officially related.

Climbs 19,000 Feet

Summers had been ordered to take part in maneuvers by Brig. Gen. William G. Mitchell. With several other aviators he mounted to a height of 19,000 feet, when thermometers on the planes registered 20 degrees below zero.

Summers was but half conscious when other aviators reached him after his descent. Examining physicians announced nerves in his eyes had been frozen, causing temporary blindness. He practically had recovered today, it was announced.

Tells Own Story

"At 19,000 feet my motor was running smoothly, but the cold seemed to chill me. I was making about 175 miles an hour. Suddenly everything began to get hazy and I started to work the controls. Then everything went black. When I revived I was dropping rapidly and but about 400 feet above the earth. Somehow, I don't know how, I got my ship under control and made a safe landing."

Other aviators with the group also were unable to account for the sudden righting of the plane, having considered it impossible to make a safe landing from such a low altitude. The fliers had followed Lieut. Summers' plane in its descent, expecting to see it crash, but instead they saw it miraculously righted and was safely brought to earth.

DIRECTS BAND

WAUPUN, Wis.—J. C. Harder, formerly of Beaver Dam, has taken over the directorship of the Waupun band

Eat Kellogg's Bran regularly to get permanent relief from constipation!

Freedom from constipation, mild or chronic, can be surely looked for if you will eat Kellogg's Bran every day! Two tablespoonfuls are sufficient; for severe cases with each meal.

Kellogg's Bran is nature's most wonderful food awaiting a chance to bring back your health. Kellogg's Bran is scientifically prepared to relieve suffering humanity from constipation and it will do that.

Being cooked and krumbled, Kellogg's Bran is delicious in its nut-like flavor. It should not be confused with common bran which is unpalatable and hard to eat. Kellogg's Bran adds greatly to the pleasure of eating other hot or cold cereals. A popular way to serve Kellogg's Bran is to cook it with hot cereals. In preparation, add two tablespoonfuls of Bran for each person, mixing it with the cereal to be cooked.

Kellogg's Bran is especially delicious in raisin bread, muffins, pancakes, macaroons, etc. Recipes appear on each package.

Realize what Kellogg's Bran is doing for constipation sufferers all over the nation, then just think what it can do for you and yours. The horrors to come should guide you to eat bran regularly, to serve it in some form each day.

You can drive constipation out of your family with Kellogg's Bran—and remove the cause of 90% of human illness! First-class hotels and clubs serve Kellogg's Bran in individual packages. Ask for it at your restaurant. All grocers.

RED PIMPLES ON FACE 3 YEARS

Itched and Burned. Lost Sleep. Cuticura Heals.

"My face was affected with pimples for about three years. They were hard and red, and festered and scaled over. The pimples itched and burned causing me to scratch and irritate them, and I lost many a night's sleep on account of the irritation.

"I read an advertisement for Cuticura Soap and Ointment and sent for a free sample which helped me so I purchased more, and, after using four cakes of Soap with the Ointment, I was healed." (Signed) Miss Martha Theusch, R. 2, Box 45, Vining, Minn.

Give Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum the care of your skin.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura Laboratories, Dept. H, Malden 48, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

What does the cup supply for you?

Many people find harm to health in the seeming friendliness of coffee and tea. They first notice the unfriendly side of their table drink in sleeplessness and nerve-irritation—signs that health is being disturbed by the drug, caffeine, which these beverages contain.

It pays to face the facts when health is involved. It's a good plan to look for the cause of restless nights and nerve-fagged days.

Postum is a safe and satisfying mealtime drink for everybody. It meets every demand of taste, and it contains nothing which can disturb health. The children may safely share it with you—as many cups as desired, without risk of disagreeable after-effects.

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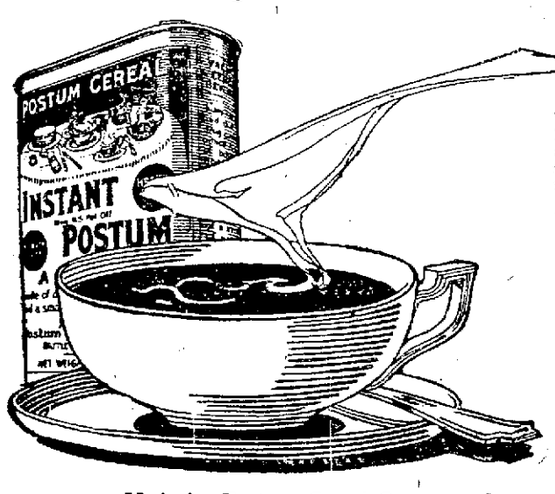

Your grocer sells Postum in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages) for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared; made by boiling fully 20 minutes.

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Barron's

Garments on Second Floor. Buy your Coat Wednesday.

We Cannot Keep These COATS Over

We Have No Room For Them

WEDNESDAY MORNING—This is final cut in price—only 28 of them —only for small sizes up to 36 inch bust.

WOOL COATS, some fur trimmed, $45.00, $65.00, $67.50, $100.00, one of each, Wednesday at—

$20.00

ALL THE BALANCE—The lowest priced Coat was $23.75, the best was $65.00, Wednesday at only—

$12.50

DRESSES Just a few large sizes in Dresses—black, navy, brown, in Canton Crepe and Crepe de Chine, $27.50 to $70.00 values, on Wednesday at **$25.00**

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SPECIAL

While they last—Glazed Cotton Thread.

500-yard spools, white, Nos. 60 and 70—

2 SPOOLS for 15c

200-yard spools, black, Nos. 50 and 60—

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200-yard spools Linen Thread in white and ecru, Nos. 40, 50, 60, 80, 90 and 100—

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Sale of all Remnants of every kind of material: Gingham, Satine, Silkoline, Cretonne and Percale—1 to 7½ yards in a piece, at—

Discounts from 20 to 33⅓ Per Cent.

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4½x9 ft. size, a handy size for a great many places about the house, a $6.00 value, special at each—

$3.00

Door Mats

20x34-inch size, cocoa brush quality, a $3.00 value, special at each—

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REMEMBER ME

REMEMBER me, O my God . . . . . and spare me according to the greatness of Thy mercy.—Nehimiah 13: 22.

Jap Jingo Nonsense

A FUNNY editorial appeared recently in a Japanese newspaper, the Tokyo Yorodzu. It had an absurdity for its text—that the United States is a militaristic nation—and proceeded to elaborate it by as complete a misconception as could well be imagined. Said this interesting article:

"America has a standing army of 250,000—some statistics put the number at 280,000—and these are maintained at the state's expense. Besides these, each state has its national guard. Just as all the lords throughout the country kept their froops, besides 80,000 direct retainers kept by the Shogun, in the days of the Tokugawa Shogunate in Japan, America today has a huge army scattered all over the federal states, besides the 250,000 troops of the federal government. Moreover, America's reserves constitute 27 divisions. As one division consists approximately of 20,000, the total of the reserves reaches 540,000. The American Legion throughout the country is also ready to serve with the American colors in time of emergency, and its members are never forgetful of military training. It must also be mentioned that each American university has a department for the training of officers. It is true that this system has been in force for the past thirty years, but since America's entry into the late war greater encouragement has been given by the government to all schools to have such departments."

Of course the figures are all twisty-ways. The 280,000 of our standing army dwindle to 125,000 enlisted men and a few thousand officers in view of the latest military appropriation bill. But the actual misrepresentation of figures is the least part of the general absurdity of this editorial. What will give Americans the biggest laugh is the importance which the Japanese editor solemnly attaches to the various auxiliary army organizations he has listed.

The reserve of 27 divisions, for instance, seems to the gentleman away off there in Tokyo a threatening and sinister fact. Americans know that this reserve is only a paper skeleton without flesh, blood, or bones. Its members are all in civil life, when they have any existence at all. Were all our "reservists" called to the colors tomorrow there would result a weird collection of shavetails and higher officers without even enough privates to supply orderlies, and the whole outfit could probably be transported in two special trains. They have no arms, no training except what some of them haven't forgotten of their world war experiences, and no equipment except the officers' own uniforms.

Then our "huge army scattered all over the federal states"—the national guard! Here and there, perhaps, in some few states like Wisconsin that take a special interest in the guard, there is an occasional unit that is recruited up to full peace strength. But for the most part the national guard has not a great deal more reality than our 27 divisions of reserves. In most states the guard is a purely ornamental establishment, half-manned or less, half-equipped, starved by meager appropriations, and officered by favored politicians who don't know "squads-right" from the flag-staff. It isn't so in Wisconsin, it happens, because this state has a non-political tradition in the guard which it lives up to, thanks to an adjutant general of conspicuous ability and responsibility. But in most other states the "huge army" of our Tokyo friend is a sure-fire laugh.

And so on down the line. It is true that many of our young men have had military training and experience in the world war—as have many young men elsewhere in the world. But it so happens that war experience does not make militarists out of Americans. Most of them learned in the world war to hate war with an abiding and vicious hatred. They would fight if the country needed them, no doubt. But if anybody can imagine them hunting trouble, he must have a keen imagination and the faculty of totally disregarding facts.

The funniest part of it all, probably, is that this accusation of militarism comes from a country where conscription rules, where every young man must spend a certain period of his youth in military training. How curious is jingo psychology, that can see in the paper organization of this country a militaristic menace, and can forget its own conscript standing army.

We will never know how the human race comes out until it is over.

The Spring Bluff

MEN'S dress designers are again making their annual bluff: "bright colors in men's wear for spring." You've seen it announced in the newspapers annually for as long as you can remember, but you can't remember a time when men's clothes were a great deal different than they now are. Annually the designers, who hone for something new and novel in the way of style to show what they can do, make this bluff. And annually it is called by the rest of us. Nobody except the designers and their models has the nerve to desert the somber grays, browns and blues which have been men's colors for several generations. We stick to our regimentals.

No doubt there are others beside the designers who would like to see men blossoming in the rainbow hues of their wives and sisters. Many a sober doctor or banker, if the truth were known, looks enviously at pictures of the middle ages when men wore silks and satins, lace and ruffles, and all the colors of a flower-garden with jewels to match. But it takes more courage than anybody has to admit this longing, and still more to humor it. This is a staid, world, and conformity is the chief of its virtues.

So men who have color complexes deeply inhibited in their insides will doubtless continue to dress in inconspicuous and unsatisfying dark clothes. The designers will make their annual spring bluff half-heartedly and hopelessly. And all that anyone will dare to do is to sport a barber-pole striped necktie, or a hanky with a colored initial.

Conscience is not the only thing that "doth make cowards of us all."

Tom Sims Says:

They are having daylight robberies in Boston. If Chicago crooks can finish before morning why can't Boston make hers do that?

In Atlanta, a cop says he saw a statue salute a ghost. Atlanta needs a law against cops drinking.

Beauty secret: It takes a little nerve to use rouge but the men will like your cheek.

Seattle man was kicked by a horse. How quaint and old-fashioned!

Some men are too cautious even to make a success as a failure.

Times are so bad people are having to work for a living.

Greatest Greek offensive is garlic.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Mrs. W. P. Long and daughter Esther, formerly of La Crosse, sailed from San Francisco Thursday for Manila where Miss Long will wed an official of the United States foreign service.

Ernest F. Wege, president of the Sterling Machinery company, today returned from the Chicago cement show where his company had a full line of its machines on exhibition. Mr. Wege was greatly encouraged by receiving a large number of orders from building contractors and cement workers for Sterling machines. These concrete machines have found a ready market ever since their manufacture was begun in this city.

William Fackler of North La Crosse has accepted a position as agent for the Adams Express company at Sterling, Ill.

Dr. E. C. Swarthout has purchased the Swartz livery stables and residence at 737 Caledonia street, formerly owned by the Thomas French estate, for the consideration of $1,700. He intends to build a five-room flat above the barn to be used as a residence for the manager of the livery barn. Mr. C. Swartz has been manager of the barn for the past four years and will continue in the employ of Dr. Swarthout.

Yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Looney on Vine street, Miss Harriet Angell was married to Mr. James O. Jensen of Winona. Miss Angell has been a domestic science teacher in the public schools of this city for the past six years. Mr. and Mrs. Jensen will live in Winona.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

A deal was closed yesterday whereby William Doerflinger, owner of the Park Store, purchased the entire stock and good will of the John Willing company and will henceforth operate the store as an annex to the big department store which bears his name. The consideration was in the neighborhood of $25,000. The Willing Company was one of the oldest and most firmly established business houses in the city.

C. A. Nymoer has resigned his position with George Baum and has left for Viroqua where he has accepted a position with J. Johnson & Co.

A new front will soon be placed on the building now occupied by the Purple and Seymour Baking company. When the improvement is completed the store will be occupied by William Hellfach, the jeweler.

J. J. McCabe and J. McCann have been promoted from brakemen to conductors on the Burlington.

At a meeting of the Mystic Workers last evening C. A. Sterling of the Vought-Berger and Northern Electrical Companies, banker of the lodge, was presented with a handsome watch charm by the members. Mr. Sterling was the organizer of the local lodge of Mystic Workers.

Mr. M. L. Ryan of Andover, Wis., and Miss Jennie T. Berry, of 1318 Charles street, were united in marriage yesterday afternoon by Rev. Faville. Miss Berry is the youngest daughter of Charles Berry, the humane officer. Mr. and Mrs. Ryan will live at Andover, near Prairie du Chien.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Messrs. Harry P. and George R. Langdon, sons of Phil Langdon, have opened a new plumbing, steam and gas fitting shop at 108 North Fourth street.

Conductor J. H. Burns of the Milwaukee and John Rickerts will depart this week for New Orleans to witness the Mardi Gras.

A new depot is being erected by the Milwaukee road at West Salem.

The thirty-fourth anniversary of St. Joseph's Benevolent society occurs today and the event will be celebrated with an entertainment in St. Joseph's school hall tonight. The society was organized January 30, 1859 and is the oldest of its kind in the city.

Articles of incorporation for the La Crosse Vinegar company will be filed this week. The incorporators are: F. A. Schaldach, George Zeisler, Leonard and George Frey, John Koller and Casper Newburg.

The Mirror

By FRANK H. WILLIAMS

There were only forty feet between the main window in Homer Montgomery's office and the nearest window in the big Central office building. But the two windows were forty-four stories apart, because each of them was located on the twenty-second story of its own particular office building. To go from Homer's office down to the ground and then up by elevator to the twenty-second story in the Central office building was the only way to reach the office opposite him. To this took anywhere from fifteen minutes to half an hour, depending upon how busy the elevators were.

And that's why Homer had never met pretty Mabel Jennings, who worked in the office in the Central building directly opposite him and who smiled and flirted with him and talked with him over the phone from day to day.

Homer had first seen her when idly looking out of his window one day. Happening to glance directly across he'd seen her standing close to her window gazing at him with a slight quizzical smile. For just a moment he'd hesitated, then he waved his hand to her. At first he thought she was going to turn away in resentment, then she'd waved back, friendly.

From day to day their friendship had increased. Homer had managed to find the name of the office in which Mabel worked and had called her up and talked to her. She'd given him her name and he'd told her his. But that was as far as it had gone. She had resolutely refused to let him come to see her, and as Homer was tied to his work during the same hours that she was it was impossible to journey down and then up to the Central building during the hours she was on the job. And, during the noon hour or after work when he tried to find her he'd always failed.

So now on this particular day Homer looked out of his window across to the Central building rather peevishly. He was genuinely interested in Mabel. He wanted to become even better acquainted. But how in the world was this ever to be accomplished?

Now, in spite of Homer's preoccupation with his own trouble he couldn't help noticing that Mabel seemed distinctly worried this morning. Her smile was almost lacking as she responded listlessly to his morning hand wave. There was a frown on her face. That she was in deep trouble was plainly evident.

From the window Homer returned to the phone and fumed until he heard Mabel's voice at the other end of the line.

"You're in trouble, Mabel," said Homer. "What's the matter?"

A little sob came to Homer over the wire.

"Oh, I can't tell you," came her voice, almost in a whisper.

"Come on, tell me," urged Homer. "We're friends, you know. I want to help you if you're in trouble."

For a moment or so Mabel seemed to hesitate, as though questioning whether or not she should tell him.

"Well," she said, at last. "——"

Then, suddenly, she broke off abruptly.

"Good-by," came her rather frightened whisper over the phone. And she hung up.

For a moment Homer waited in the hope that she might again take up the conversation. But when a few moments elapsed with nothing but silence as his reward he, too, hung up the receiver.

For a minute or so he sat at the desk gazing at his reflection in the heavy plate glass mirror in front of him. If only this mirror could show him Mabel's heart. And if only this job of his of selling mirrors and hand looking glasses didn't keep him so tied down he might make the trip to the Central building and meet Mabel face to face and find out just what the trouble was. Perhaps he might snatch a half hour to do so in spite of the rush of business.

But duty called, the routine of the day pressed in upon Homer, and before he realized it half of the morning was gone.

Once again Homer looked across to Mabel's office at this point of the day. To his surprise she was standing at the window. Evidently she was trying to attract his attention and tell him something. But he couldn't make out what it was she wanted. And even as he looked she turned away abruptly.

It seemed to Homer that Mabel was undoubtedly in a predicament and that she had come to a decision to ask his aid. This warmed his heart, for Homer confessed to himself he'd fallen in love with this pretty girl who was physically so near to him and yet who was forty-four stories away.

Homer now waited impatiently for the noon hour. Under the office arrangement Homer spent most of the noon hour in the office, and as Mabel did this in her office the arrangement was entirely satisfactory to Homer. So now Homer waited impatiently for the noon hour.

But when the noon hour came there was no Mabel at the window across the way to wave him a friendly greeting, as she had been doing each day for the past few weeks. This worried Homer. Where was Mabel? What was wrong?

Again he had recourse to the phone. It seemed a long time until he heard Mabel's voice in reply. And when her voice did come it was strained, unnatural.

"Mabel, let me help you!" cried Homer. "What's the trouble?"

"Oh—h—h, I——" came her reply.

Again her words stopped abruptly. Almost it seemed to Homer as though some outside force or person was making her stop.

"What is it? What is it?" cried Homer.

But again there came the sudden click as the receiver at the other end of the line was placed on the hook.

Restlessly Homer got up and went to the window, trying to force his glance clear into the office where Mabel worked. He could make out some sort of movement in the room, but this movement was so far back in the room that he couldn't see just what it was.

He opened his widow to see more closely. If only the strong early summer sun had been shining into the opposite window instead of into his own!

There came, then, a sudden rush in the office opposite. Mabel rushed to the window and flung it open. Her action was frenzied, but silent. And as the window went up Homer saw the reason of her silence—a gagging bandage had been drawn tightly across her mouth. Now she jerked quickly at this bandage. But before she could remove it a husky man leaped at her and pinioned her hands behind her. Homer recognized the man. It was Mabel's employer.

There was flaming passion evident in the man's flushed face and vicious eyes. Evidently he was bothered neither by conscience nor fear. He was governed only by his desires. Slowly, as Mabel fought with him, the man began dragging her back into the room.

A tremendous horror filled Homer's soul. What could he do? How could he possibly help Mabel in this terrible situation?

He couldn't possibly get across to Mabel's office under fifteen minutes. He knew no one within ten floors of her office in the Central building whom he could call up. What could he possibly do? He had no revolver, no weapon at all.

Homer cast a frenzied glance into his office. His eyes fell on the heavy plate glass mirror just above his desk. An eager, hopeful light sprang into his eyes as he ran to the mirror and jerked it from the wall.

If only the man hadn't dragged Mabel too far into the office! Homer breathed a sigh of relief as he came back to his window with the mirror in his hands and saw that Mabel and her employer were still struggling near the window.

Quickly Homer slanted the mirror so that it caught the full glare of the sun and reflected this into Mabel's office.

Mabel's assailant, sensing Homer's intention, tried to turn his back, but Mabel with a supreme effort wrenched him around. Homer flashed the glare squarely into the man's eyes. The man dropped Mabel abruptly as his hands flew up to shield his eyes.

And Homer, reflecting the light into the rear of the office, saw Mabel tearing off the gag, turn the key in the office door and make her way into the hall. She was safe, at last!

Somewhat later Mabel and Homer smiled into each other's eyes.

"And we'll hang that mirror in the best place in our home," said Mabel.

"We sure will—in our home!" exclaimed Homer rapturously.

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LEVY EXCESS PROFITS

DALLAS, Texas.—Operating officials of the St. Louis Southwestern railroad announced the road has been requested to surrender $1,500,000 to the United States as excess profits for 1922.

BANKS TO MERGE

NEW YORK.—Stockholders of the Irving bank and the Columbia Trust company approved a consolidation agreement for merger of the two institutions February 7.

OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS

WHEN IGNORANCE IS BLISS.

Abe Martin

Ther hain't nothin' new about Dr. Coue's "ever' day in ever' way, I'm gittin' better 'n better." We know a lot o' folks that have been kiddin' 'emselves along that line for years. We wonder if Will Hays 'll git another chance when his time's up.

SHIP OPERATION FAILURE

CLEVELAND, O.—Governmental attempts to operate the merchant marine were branded a failure by Walter D. Meals, former chairman of the claims commission of the United States Shipping board in an address at a McKinley day banquet.

NAME MINISTER TO SWEDEN

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Robert Woods Bliss, third assistant secretary of state, was nominated to be minister to Sweden.

BERTON BRALEY'S DAILY POEM

THE HUMORISTS
BY BERTON BRALEY

They have no awe of anything.
Their barbs satirical they fling
At fake and solemn-faced pretense;
And with a blithe irreverence.
And laughing antics of a clown,
They topple pompous idols down.

An ugly evil rears its head . .
A thing of mystery and dread:
The humorists make jests about it.
With jape and gibe and quip they flout it,
And presently away it wriggles,
Pursued by universal giggles.

The dragons, menacing and foul,
That most majestically prowl
About our land; whose fiery breath
Scares serious-minded folks to death,
Sneak to their caves, devoid of vigor,
When humorists begin to snigger.

How shall we estimate their worth
Who smash chimeras with their mirth;
Who vanquish ills to which we truckle,
With no more weapon than a chuckle?
Here's to them, may they never wane.
They make us laugh—and keep us sane!

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HEROES
BY BERTON BRALEY

"My father"—Well, I guess if he
Should find some giants kidnaped me,
He'd foller 'em right to their cave—
My father's awful strong an' brave:
An' when he caught 'em he'd yell 'Hey,
You let that boy go, right away!'
An' if they didn't—I tell you
My father'd break 'em plumb in two!
I guess he'd learn 'em to be good.
That's how he'd do—my father would."

"Your father! Aw, he ain't so grand,
My father'd lick him with one hand,
And if some giants was around
Why just the minute that they found
My father lived here—tell you what,
They'd run like fun until they got
A million miles away! They'd be
Afraid to THINK of touchin' me!"

And thus two ordinary men
Of five foot six or eight or ten,
A little soft and fat and gray,
And commonplace in every way,
Are by their children's honest pride
Heroic figures, magnified.
A man must be a perfect zero
If to his kids he's not a hero.

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FREE *Trial Bottle*

I have a message for every gray-haired person, and I herewith invite all to write me. I will send each one the complete information, for which there is not space here, together with free trial bottle of my famous Restorer which proves every word I say is true.

Mary T. Goldman's Hair Color Restorer isn't a new preparation, still in the experimental stage. I perfected it many years ago to restore my own gray hair because I would not use crude dyes.

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(light red)..... blonde.....
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SUPER-GUERILLA WAR IF GERMANS TRY FIGHTING BACK

American Staff Officers Say Germany Can't Make Organized Fight

EXEN WITH RUSSIAN AID FRANCE STILL IS MASTER

Big Danger is that War Would Involve all Europe

WASHINGTON. — The Germans, known since the beginning of modern warfare as the world's most orderly and methodical fighters, may become the world's most disorderly fighters.

This is the prophecy of experts of the War Plans Division of the United States army general staff who have given careful study to the military situation in Germany.

The intensively drilled Prussian soldier may become a super-guerilla carrying on irregular fighting of a type hitherto unknown, they say.

All this, if Germany, goaded by French encroachments, decides to replace its present passive resistance with active resistance.

Army regulations prohibit these officers from being quoted directly. But I am able to present a digest of the opinions of high officers secured in a series of interviews.

Cant's Risk New War

"Germany knows she cannot match arms with France in a new war," these officers agree.

"She has no heavy artillery, no tanks, no aircraft.

"She has an army of 100,000, allowed by the treaty, andf guard and police forces that might serve as nuclei for reorganization of a considerable part of the old army.

"Granted she has even large quantities of rifles, machine guns and even small artillery hidden away, it is certain she has not now and cannot obtain quickly heavier fighting equipment—artillery, airplanes, tanks——to confront France along a given line.

No Natural Line

"Also, beyond the Rhine, there is no natural line of resistance this side of the Elbe. And a stand at the Elbe would leave more than half of Germany in French occupation.

"Even should the army of Russia, reputed at 1,000,000, join hands with Germany, still France would be military master.

"With a highly organized and equipped army of 800,000, with artillery aircraft and chemical warfare equipment and material in abundance, France could sweep through Germany as Germany swept through Belgium.

"The German knows the futility of any attempted general military resistance.

"But deprived for materials for his factories, fuel for his homes and industries, it is possible even the disciplined, stoical German would reach a stage of frenzy and desperation which would goad him to open revolt even in the face of recognized military disaster.

"In that event German resistance would doubtless take the form of a super-guerilla warfare, with no large concentration of troops, no battles fought to conclusive victories but constant raids, slashing, jabbing, wearing down of French resistance, necessitating the maximum effort by France to maintain her occupation.

"Such a situation does not fit in with German psychology. He does not want to invite ruin to his cities, disaster to his industries. He likes to fight like he works, in an orderly, definitely planned method. Only in desperation may he be expected to forget the ruin resistance now would be certain to bring.

Another Danger

"The big danger in event French pressure drives Germany to open revolt—unlikely as we believe that—is not in the situation that would result simply between France and Germany.

"From a purely military standpoint, France today could handle the situation even if Russia should join with Germany.

"But should Russia join with Germany, then Poland would lock interests with France.

"Rumania and Czecho-Slovakia would shortly be drawn in, and we would have again the park of war running through the whole chain of tinder-box governments in Europe—Italy, Greece, Turkey, Bulgaria—no one could foresee where it would stop."

FAIR OFFICERS STAY

DARLINGTON. —H. D. Schrieter was re-elected president of the Lafayette county fair. Thomas Kirwan stays as secretary.

Corn at ten cents a bushel equals coal at $5 a ton for burning.

Rain has fallen at the rate of 30 inches an hour in Panama.

KIWANIS CLUB OF SPARTA WILL STAGE PLAY ON FEB. 8-9

Census of Motor Vehicles in Monroe County Shows One Car to Six Persons

SPARTA, Wis.—The schools in the city opened Tuesday after a short vacation for those who were exempt from their examinations. All having standings above 90 were exempt from any examinations, and many were in school only Monday and Tuesday of last week in consequence. There are two new teachers on the high school faculty this semester, Miss Dunn, who took Miss Cooper's place in the domestic science classes, and Miss Zepp who takes Miss Miller's place in the citizenship class.

The Kiwanis club will stage a home talent play in the armory, February 8 and 9. It is a musical comedy, entitled "The Haunted Mummy." S. R. Burroughs and R. A. Richards are the directors. The profits derived from this show will go into the booster fund of the Kiwanis club, and be used in the interests of Sparta and vicinity.

A census of the motor vehicles of Monroe county shows a total of 4764 motor vehicles in 1922. Of this number 4467 are passenger vehicles, 189 trucks, 24 motorcycles, and 28 dealers' cars. The population of Monroe county is 28,700, which makes the ratio of cars, one car for each six persons. The county stands 26th, having the highest percentage of cars to population.

The following marriage licenses have been issued the past week by County Clerk A. L. Nicol: Albert Grill and Anna Schulten, both of Norwalk; Carl J. Goetz and Gladys June, both of Sparta; William Mark and Ruth Lindley, both of Ontario; John Middleton and Cora E. Heath, both of the town of Sparta; Lewis Torgerson of the town of Sheldon, and Elizabeth Popson of Cashton.

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Miss Lilah Dickinson to William Randebush of Fort Wayne, Indiana. The bride is a former Sparta girl. She has been attending a business college at Fort Wayne the past six months. The bridegroom is employed as a lithographer for a Fort Wayne printing company. The couple will reside in Fort Wayne.

DIRECTORS ELECTED

CLINTONVILLE Wis.—W. A. Olin Frank Gause and D. J. Rohin were elected directors at the annual meeting of the Four Wheel Drive company. The usual dividend was declared.

FARM AGENT QUITS

PLYMOUTH, Wis—Julius Wendstadt, Sheboygan county farm agent, has resigned, effective on April 1. No successor may be chosen before next fall.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY MEETING SHOWS PROGRESS

The annual business meeting of the Young People's society of Our Savior's Lutheran church, Sixth and Division streets, was held in the church parlors Monday evening with a record number of members in attendance.

The treasurer's report showed that the total receipts of the society for the year were $552.06, with $208.24 contributed to the church missions. The president's report showed a decided increase in the membership of the society, thirty-three members being admitted to the society during the past year.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. J. E. Stokke; vice president, Miss Palma Johnson; treasurer, Otto Vaaler; secretary, Miss Helen Smevog.

OCONTO, Wis.—Mrs. Hunter C. Orr has been appointed county clerk to succeed her late husband.

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Diamond Dyes

Each 15 cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint her old, worn, faded things new, even if she has never dyed before. Buy Diamond Dyes—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is guaranteed. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run.

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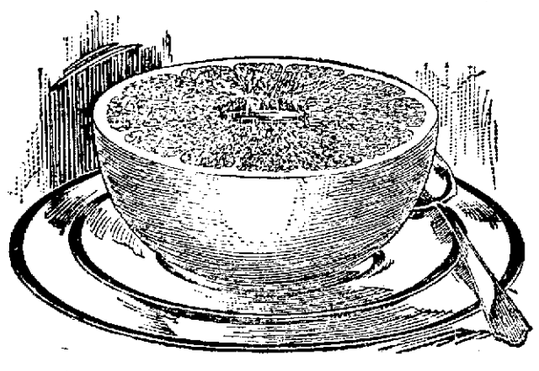

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BEAUTIFUL CLOTH COATS of the season's most desirable fabrics, enriched with the lavish use of *genuine furs.* The season's popular colors featured. Sale price for Wednesday $50.

SILK DRESSES and WOOL DRESSES of the better sort displaying all the popular styles and fabrics. Materials are *Canton Crepe, Poiret Twill, Taffeta and others.*

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56 WOOL DRESSES, 65 SILK DRESSES, 57 CLOTH COATS and 3 SUITS

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THE GREATEST BARGAIN EVENT OF THE SEASON!

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THE COATS include *fur trimmed models, Chappy Coats,* with fur collars of Opossum and suede lined, *plain Coats* and *Polo Coats,* all developed of good woolen materials.

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DESIGNERS ARE IMITATING THE ANCIENT EGYPTIANS

When drapes first began to appear on fashionable frocks they were content to cling modestly to side seams.

But French designers' insistence on the ancient Egyptian note in styles has brought the drape to the front. Dresses have their fullness caught below the waist with a colorful ornament. The fullness held thus, falls in the pleats and ripples of the new jabot drapery.

Side drapes are still more popular here, but spring will see the front type well established in American favor.

Local News

Ye Old Time Dance and new. Members free. Yeomen hall, Saturday. Dance Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. F. R. Weston are in Salt Lake City.

Daughters of Norway old fashioned dance at K. P. hall, Thursday, Feb. 1. Colburn's orchestra.

The city hall was closed Tuesday afternoon for one hour between 2 and 3 o'clock, for the funeral of Audrey Pine, former assessor.

Plumbing as it should be done. W. F. Schram. Phone 46.

Applications for membership in the American Legion band may still be made Tuesday and Wednesday.

Letz Quartette, Normal Lecture Course, indefinitely postponed.

The Milwaukee railroad ice harvest has been completed, the large ice houses in the north side yards being filled.

Ask For Spang's Candy.

Classes in shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, banking, salesmanship, office organization, civil service, etc., are being formed at the Tri-State (Keefe) Business college. Very low rates are offered to a limited number at this time. Pay half when you enter and half when you are placed in a good position, or pay a small amount each month if you desire. Our work is accredited by the state universities. Call, phone or write today for further information.

Many La Crosse county farmers are in Madison this week attending the annual Farmers' Week at the university of Wisconsin.

Normal Lecture Course, Letz Quartette, indefinitely postponed.

New classes are forming at the Tri-State Keefe Business college. Very low rates are offered at this time of the year.

John Webber, 517 North Tenth street, who has been ill, has improved and is able to be out and around.

Osteopathy, Dr. Jorris Newburg Bg.

Governor's Guards Rink, roller skating tonight and tomorrow night. Mask ball on roller skates Friday night; four prizes.

Mrs. Bud McGuire of St. Paul is visiting in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Guenther, 1401 Pine street.

$3.50 Big Ben Alarm $2.75. Hellfach's.

Pancake and sausage supper, Caledonia St. M. E. church, Jan. 31, from 5:30 p. m. on. 25c.

A trace of rain fell during the night, turning into snow.

Special Alarm Clock, 98c. Hellfach's.

The Chippewa Wood Manufacturing company has filed a petition in bankruptcy with Clerk of the United States Court Alfred Harrison. The liabilities are $6,167 and assets $4,907.

Wanted. 2000 ex-servicemen to take free instruction on band instruments. See ad on page 12.

A social session to which Elks and their wives are invited will be held at the Elks club Saturday night. Dancing and music and a luncheon are on the program.

Will loan any amount from $500 upon improved city or county real estate at 6 per cent. J. L. Pettingill, Batavian Bank building.

The hearing on the petiton to restore two trains on the Northwestern road will be held next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Chamber of Commerce, instead of in the court house, according to notification from the railroad commission of Wisconsin.

Maccabees 500 party, Eagle hall, Friday night. Six prizes.

James Peterson is in the city for a few days between semesters visiting relatives and friends. He has been attending Washington and Lee university for several months past.

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Rivoli Bg.

D. J. Boyle, 1413 Caledonia, street has returned from a trip to Minneapolis and St. Paul, where he attended the annual poultry exhibitions.

Ask Fourth Building Association.

Members of the local American Legion post have received their first copies of the new state Legion paper. The publication, known as the "Badger Legionnaire," is issued twice a month.

Phone 179 before 6 p. m. for baggage calls, Gateway City Transfer Co.

Paul Marco has recovered from a short illness and is back at his work again.

Collections, Insurance, Loans, L. E. Omerberg, Rivoli Bldg.

Judge Higbee has returned from Viroqua where he held a session of circuit court on Monday. Motion day will be held here on Friday and Saturday.

GOOD MANNERS

Within ten days after departure from a house party or other visit to the home of another, be sure to send to your hostess a letter expressing appreciation of the hospitality extended to you. It is also good form to dispatch to her a book, a box of candy, a gift of flowers or other small token of an appropriate sort.

Girl Reserves Of Washburn School Initiate Members

WASHBURN Corps of the Girl Reserves, under the guidance of their adviser, Mrs. L. W. Eidam, put on the initiation ceremonial of the organization at a meeting at the Y. W. C. A. Monday afternoon, when Dorothy Bell and Ardelle Johnson were inducted into the corps. The impressive initiation rites were carried out in full, ably conducted by officers of Washburn corps, as follows: Beatrice Freimark, president; Mildred Hanson, secretary; Inez Lyons, treasurer. The service was a feature of visiting week at the Y. W. C. A.

The program for Wednesday includes the following activities:

2:30—Vocational gym.
4:30—High school Girl Reserves. Freshmen recognition service. Senior cabinet meeting.
6:10—Telephone Girls' supper.
7:00—Girl Reserve Ukelele club, beginners.
8:00—Girl Reserve Ukelele club, advanced.

CHARM

by Mme. Ida CHERNOFF

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I have reiterated upon many occasions, "Every woman can be charming!"

It is a matter of culture entirely. Your daughters at 14 may be very uncouth and awkward—and what do you do? You carefully train them, either at home, at the dancing master's or at the finishing school, till all the rough edges are polished.

It is wholly a matter of training!

Defining the word beautiful, we have a latitude, in so far as beauty is a perfection of form and color and harmony.

Many women have been proclaimed beautiful merely for their hair, others merely for the tilt of their heads, and still others merely for the subtle suggestion of sweetness that emanates from them: but whatever it is, every woman can improve herself until she is most charming, if not indeed beautiful.

Of course, health plays a very great part in this matter of beauty, and so we are going to go into the different means of promoting health without the aids of medicine, allowing of course, that in sickness it will be advisable to consult your physician.

It is my earnest desire to help you overcome all obstacles that stand in the way of charm, for I am firm in the belief that every such obstacle can be overcome.

Next: How to use rouge and lipstick.

Nic Clements, treasurer town of Greenfield is the first treasurer in La Crosse to bringin state tax account.

Medium brown hair looks best of all after a Golden Glint Shampoo. —Adv.

LEATHER FOR TRIMMING

Leather is a very smart trimming for suits and gowns. Not only do we find rows of black leather on blue suits, but we find checked and striped gowns trimmed with insets of bright-colored suede.

An Epic Of Homesickness

MARTIN Gross came to see the Social Service Society not long ago. He could not find work and he had a family to support. He had never before appealed for assistance to anyone, though he had carried heavy responsibilities for a long time, with a wife and five children.

About a year before, Jimmy, the twelve-year old son, was threatened with serious heart trouble, and the doctor told Martin that the only way to save his life was to take him far west. Martin and his family at that time lived in New England, where they had always had their home among the hills they loved.

They Go West

The family held a consultation and decided that, if they could find work when they got there, they could take Jimmy to a change of climate and nurse him back to health. Martin's father-in-law offered all his savings to add to the family's and said he would go with them, because he could work and help support them, too. Minnie, the oldest child and the only girl, had left school and was willing to go to work and do her part. The other children were boys: John, fourteen years old, Ray, eight years old, and the baby, three and a half years old. Ray begged to take the adored famil cat so he was made a part of the party.

All went well: the family reached the mountain country of the west: and the three wage earners faund work. Jimmy improved immensely. Before long, however, homesickness found its place in the home, and there was talk of returning east. With Jimmy so well, it seemed reasonable; but there was not very much money, beyond living expenses, left.

Start by Auto

There was another family consultation, and it was decided to accept the offer of an acquaintance who was riding east in an automobile to go with him. That way would be cheaper, and their money would about reach. If there were any delays, they all planned to find work on the way.

The family reached Montana safely, but there Jimmie began to feel so much worse that they were forced to stay there for a few days. Their driver waited for them willingly, but the days stretched out; the baby became ill; and Mrs. Gross and Martin had all they could do to keep up expenses and care for their sick ones. Finally the driver was forced to leave them to continue on their way by rail. The baby died. Martin arranged for him to be sent to New England for burial.

Jimmie improved, and the family traveled on to the next large town, where they all got work and started to save for another step in their journey. There the father-in-law was taken acutely ill and died. Martin and his wife and Minnie all worked, and before long they saved enough to take them to a large Middle West town near La Crosse.

Flat in La Crosse

There again they all worked until they could come to La Crosse, where they understood there was better work to be had. When Martin came to see the Social Service Society, he had $4 left, no work and the entire family was living in one small room in a cheap hotel. The family cat is still with them, cherished by the children as the one reminder of their happy old home.

Now the Gross family is in St. Paul, still working and saving for the eagerly awaited trip back to New England. Social Service in La Crosse got on the job and saw that, they were able to reach St. Paul. And Social Service in St. Paul is helping them to stand out against homesickness until they have enough ahead to make the trip in comfort and security.

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Society

MRS. WIGGENHORN IS HONOR GUEST AT SMALL PARTY

MRS. WILLIAM Wiggenhorn, who is the guest of her mother, Mrs. N. R. Nelson, 111 South Ninth street, was guest of honor Tuesday at a delightful afternoon coffee which was given by Mrs. M. J. Jillingson, 515 Cass street. Places were laid for ten at a most daintily laid table, which was featured by daffodils with yellow tapers in crystal sticks at either end. Mrs. Wiggenhorn is on the way with her family to the Pacific coast. They formerly resided at Chicago and will now locate at Los Angeles, Calif.

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MRS. E. GRUENZNER of Minneapolis is an expected guest of Mrs. Emma Olberg, arriving this evening for a visit of about two weeks.

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MRS. GILBERT Anderson was pleasantly surprised at the home of her son, Charles Anderson, 1226 South Fourth street, in compliment to the seventy-eighth anniversary of her birth. Various diversions afforded entertainment and refreshments were served to twenty guests. Mrs. Anderson was presented with numerous gifts. In the party were Mesdames William Dell, A. E. Powell, William Mueller, Albert Linhart, Glen Hanson, Williams, Ben Gunderson, Frank Stifter, and the Misses Louella Skailand, Anna and Ruby Wagner, Mildred Mueller, Gertrude Anderson, Edith and Cora Gunderson, Rose Mary Reid and Mr. Louis Dell.

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THE MOTHERS' CIRCLE of the First Presbyterian church will hold its usual meeting Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors. At this time plans will be laid for the annual February party, which falls on the regular meeting day, Wednesday, February 14th. Every member is urged to be present and to come early, as there is work on hand. Friends are always welcome. The hostesses will be Mesdames H. W. Palmer, J. Schriver, J. A. Schowater and James Stormont.

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A BRIDAL SHOWER was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bigsbee, 417 Liberty street, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bigsbee, recently married. Gifts were presented and refreshments were served. In the party were Mesdames William Netwall, R. Seeky, R. Netwall, H. Tegedar, J. Somlar, Main, Anderson, Renner, William Funger, Newman, Cora Gustafson, Noel and Misses Georgina Funger, Lucille Philips, Louise Lukas, Verna McWain, Rose Wick, Gustie Hackett, Martha Zustron, Jose Ukeary, Inez Fish, Hannah Joy, Helen Lowe, Bertha Patton, Leone Culver, Nellie Hulderson, Ethel Foster, Bulcau La Duc, Tillie Gust, Henry Schwertfeger and William Priebe.

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MRS. PAUL MATEJU, 1007 South Eighth street, was hostess to a party of friends Saturday night when she entertained in honor of the birthday of her husband. Cards were the evening's entertainment and at eleven o'clock a delicious lunch was served. Places were laid for twelve.

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THE LADIES AID society of the Bethel Lutheran church will meet Wednesday afternoon at the church parlors, corner George and Sill streets. Mrs. Jonas Severson will be the hostess.

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A BIRTHDAY party was given by Miss Dorothy Dalby, 1702 Wood street, when she entertained a number of friends Saturday afternoon and evening. Games and music, piano and violin numbers, contributed to the pleasure of the occasion.

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MISS ETHEL BIGSBEE, 417 Liberty street, was happily surprised by a party of friends Sunday afternoon in honor of her sixth birthday. Games and music marked the afternoon and refreshments were served. Pretty gifts were presented. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames D. E. Bigsbee, W. A. Bigsby, William Netwal, Misses Myrtle Hart, Ethel Krueger, Esther Smith, Isabelle Leafblad and Doris Bigsbee.

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THE LADIES' CIRCLE of St. Paul's Universalist church will meet at the church parlors Thursday afternoon. A picnic supper will be served.

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THE LADIES' AID society of the First Presbyterian church meets Thursday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. Rowles, 214 North Sixth street.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE

There are many countries from which the evil-eye superstition and a belief in mischievous spirits never have disappeared.

In southern Arabia, for instance, the bride wears garlic in her turban on her wedding day, lest the evil eye blight her hopes of married happiness.

Wedding parties in Manchuria are preceded by parties of men exploding firecrackers, on the theory that the racket frightens away malign spirits.

ART SOCIETY MEMBERS SEE NEW PICTURES

Preview Wednesday Evening; Exhibit Offers Rich Treat

The members of the Art Association will have the privilege of a pre-view of the new exhibit at the Chamber of Commerce on Wednesday evening, from seven-thirty on. All members are urged to be present.

Just a mere continuous walk around the room at the Chamber of Commerce—the merest bird's eye view of the pictures now hung up there, without numbers or catalog as yet, has made the impression on my mind that the collection for the exhibit that opens tomorrow evening for members of the Art association, is in some respects the choicest that has been offered in La Crosse. I could see many novel effects, very vigorous treatment, and a wide range of subjects. There is an unusually large number of portraits, of a higher order. I had no time to make a detailed study of the pictures, but the general impression is that it is a very worth-while collection, that will amply repay many hours spent in studying them.

And again comes to my mind the subject of a suitable housing for such exhibits. They come from the best brushes of the United States. There should be a place where the pictures could be studied without interruption from other concurrent uses of the room. That is impossible in the Chamber of Commerce room. I am reminded that at Richmond, Ind., the city put an additional story on its newly building school, for the exclusive use of the art exhibits of the city, and the permanent home for the collection being made in the city. La Crosse is about to build two new buildings for school purposes. Could it not be arranged in one of them to have a room suitable for the purpose, upon which the Art association should have the first lien for its needs? The extra cost of arranging the room would not be great. Give it a thought.

C. W. D.

A black taffeta gown derives much distinction from its sleeves—they are of white georgette, hand painted in conventional flower designs.

The Best Cough Syrup is Home-made

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JEANNETTE RANKIN HITS WISCONSIN'S EQUAL RIGHTS LAW

Measure too Ambiguous Says Speaker at Badger Women's Gathering

MADISON, Wis.—Disapproval of Wisconsin's equal rights law enacted by the 1921 legislature on request of the national woman's party, was expressed by Miss Jeannette Rankin, Missoula, Mont., first woman to be elected to congress, who is here Tuesday to address the annual convention of the Wisconsin Women's Progressive association.

"The law, due to its many ambiguities, is too uncertain," Miss Rankin declared. "Legal authorities disagree on many such questions but they all admit that an equal rights law does obtain ambiguities. As a consequence the statute is dangerous.

"A law granting equal rights is quite impossible. Men and women are different and have different problems. Such a law would interfere with existing statutes on statutory offenses, maternity, and other legislation affecting women.

"The best way, to my mind, is to seek laws applying to the separate measures in which women are granted rights equal with men," she said.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOLS FOR PROTESTANT CHILDREN PLANNED

NEW YORK.—Plans for week day schools for the religious instruction of Protestant children in New York city were under consideration Tuesday by a committee appointed at a meeting of 100 Protestant clergymen.

Resolutions advocating the establishment of such schools were adopted after an address by Judge Thomas C. T. Crain of General Sessions, who declared that half a million Protestant children here were entirely without religious instruction. He said that 6,000 members of the Protestant teachers' association had consented to go, after their own school hours to the schools to be established and teach the children.

The courses of instruction will be determined by denominational boards.

SEVERSON MEASURE URGES SURTAX ON LARGER INCOMES

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ute exempting stock dividends from taxation, and raises exemptions under the income tax from $1,200 to $1,800 for heads of families and from $200 to $300 for each child or dependent. Under its provisions, incomes up to and including $3,000 are exempt from the surtax.

Following are the rates established by the Severson surtax bill on net incomes over $3,000:

On the first $1,000 of taxable income, one per cent.

On the second $1,000 of taxable income, one and one-half per cent.

On the third $1,000 of taxable income, two per cent.

On the fourth $1,000 of taxable income, two and one-half per cent.

On the fifth $1,000 of taxable income, three per cent.

On the sixth $1,000 of taxable income, three and one-half per cent.

On the seventh $1,000 of taxable income, four per cent.

On the eighth $1,000 of taxable income, four and one-half per cent.

On the ninth $1,000 of taxable income, five per cent.

On the tenth $1,000 of taxable income, six per cent.

On the eleventh and twelfth $1,000 of taxable income, seven per cent.

On the thirteenth to fifteenth $1,000 of taxable income, eight per cent.

On the sixteenth to twenty-fifth $1,000 of taxable income, ten per cent.

On the fifty-first to seventy-fifth $1,000 of taxable income, eleven per cent.

On any sum in excess of $75,000 over the $3,000 exemption, a tax of twelve per cent is imposed.

Four Per Cent for Corporations

A four per cent tax on all corporation income.

Taxes raised from imposition of this law would go into a state income tax fund and be apportioned as follows:

To the common schools, $2,306,000.
To the university, $1,750,000.
To the normal schools, $775,000.
To the teachers' insurance and retirement fund, $1,000,000.

The rates in the bill, Senator Severson said, are based on income returns in a conservative year and as a result, provision is contained so that should the amount of revenue be increased, all excess tax over $1,000,000 would be placed in the common school fund.

Present Law Unchanged

"This surtax bill does not modify or change the existing income tax law and does not repeal the personal property tax offset to the income tax," Senator Severson explained in a statement. "Neither does it have a provision concerning the secrecy clause, repeal of which is asked in a separate measure. Its object is to make it primarily a state proposition so as to make a state fund separate and distinct from funds raised under the present income tax law, which is primarily a local proposition."

By repeal of the statutes exempting stock dividends from taxation, the senator expects that $2,009,000 will be raised.

"On the smaller incomes this bill makes no increase in tax," Senator Severson said. "At $5,000 its rates are the same as those under the Dahl bill, and over that amount my measure provides a sharper increase than the other proposes."

"I am interested to see how little money I can raise for the actual needs of the state, in place of seeing how large a fund a bill will raise," he added. "I want the state to get along on as little money as practically possible and have drafted this bill accordingly."

SPEAKS HERE

JUDGE ROSENBERRY

Judge Rosenberry, justice of the supreme court of Wisconsin, will be the speaker at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Wednesday noon. He will talk on the community chest. A large attendance is assured.

"PRETTY POLLY" GOOD COMEDY NOW AT THE MAJESTIC

Joe Marion, Sue Hale and Jack Ellison are the stars of the musical comedy, "Pretty Polly," which opened a three days' run at the Majestic theater Monday. Helen Curtis is clever and funny in her role and Dick Butler is a close second. The play is a rollicking comedy farce. The characters involved in the play are Polly and Freddie, the maid and valet, who have been secretly married, and Billy, a young bachelor, in whose house they are employed. Billy has had a comfortable income the past five years from the estate of an aunt who left it to him on condition he married and settled down. He got away with the lie until his uncle Lancaster, who handled the money, suddenly wrote of his intentions to come for a visit. Billy had to rush around and get a wife and the way he got one makes up the comedy in "Pretty Polly."

The chorus is seen in new and clever evolutions as a background for the various song hits. "I'm a Nut," rendered by Helen Curtis, was the hit of the vaudeville part of the program. Miss Curtis was forced to respond to encore after encore. "Pretty Polly" will be at the Majestic today and Wednesday.

STOCK MARKET CLOSE

Closing prices:

Allied Chemical and Dye	71
Allis-Chalmers	46 5/8
American Beet Sugar	36 5/8
American Can	81 7/8
American Car and Foundry	178
American Hide and Leather pfd	68
American International Corp.	24 1/2
American Locomotive	123 1/2
American Smelting and Refining	57
American Sugar	76 1/8
American Sumatra Tobacco, bid	26 1/2
American T. and T.	122 1/4
American Tobacco	153
American Woolen	93 1/4
Anaconda Copper	47 3/4
Atchison	100 1/2
Atlantic Gulf and W. Indies	19 1/8
Baldwin Locomotive	131 3/4
Baltimore and Ohio	47 1/4
Bethlehem Steel "B"	61 1/2
Canadian Pacific	143 1/8
Central Leather	34 1/8
Chandler Motors	67 1/4
Chesapeake and Ohio	74 5/8
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	23 3/4
Chicago, R. I. and Pac.	35
Chino Copper	24 1/8
Colorado Fuel and Iron	25 5/8
Corn Products	127 1/8
Corn Products	127 7/8
Crucible Steel	72 1/2
Erie	11 5/8
Famous Players-Lasky	81
General Asphalt	42 7/8
General Electric	182 1/4
General Motors	14
Goodrich Co.	36 1/2
Great Northern pfd	74 3/4
Illinois Central	112 5/8
Inspiration Copper	38 1/2
International Harvester	89 1/4
Int. Mer. Marine pfd	38 1/2
International Paper	50 1/4
Invincible Oil	16 3/4
Kelly-Springfield Tire	48 1/2
Kennecott Copper	36 5/8
Louisville and Nashville	132 1/2
Mexican Petroleum, bid	250
Miami Copper	27 5/8
Middle States Oil	11 5/8
Midvale Steel	27 1/4
Missouri Pacific	16 3/4
New York Central	94 5/8
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	21 3/4
Norfolk and Western	112 3/4
Northern Pacific	75
Oklahoma Prod and Ref.	2 1/4
Pacific Oil	52 3/4
Pan American Petroleum	86 1/4
Pennsylvania	47 1/2
People's Gas	92 3/4
Pure Oil	27 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper	13 3/4
Reading	77 3/4
Rep. Iron and Steel	48 1/4
Royal Dutch, N. Y. ex div.	45 3/4
Sears Roebuck	85
Sinclair Con. Oil	32
Southern Pacific	90 5/8
Southern Railway	29 5/8
Standard Oil of N. J.	39 5/8
Studebaker Corporation	114 3/4
Tennessee Copper	11 5/8
Texas Co.	47 7/8
Texas and Pacific	22 3/4
Tobacco Products	82
Transcontinental Oil	11 5/8
Union Pacific	138 5/8
United Retail Stores	68 5/8
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	64
United States Rubber	58 3/8
United States Steel	105 5/8
Utah Copper	63 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	61 1/2
Willys Overland	7 5/8
Chicago and Northwestern	81 1/2
Maxwell Motor "B"	15 3/4

ASK FOR SHIPS SALE DETAILS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—The senate adopted on Saturday a resolution by Senator Pomerene, democrat, of Ohio, asking the shipping board for details as to all transactions involving the sale of ships since March 4, 1921.

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See adv. on Page 12,

BORAH RENEWS HIS PLEA FOR A WORLD ECONOMIC PARLEY

Calls on President Harding to Issue Invitations for Conference Here

WASHINGTON. — Senator Borah renewed in the senate Tuesday his proposal for an international economic conference called by President Harding.

The conference proposal which already has been the center of one senate storm and is expected to develop another, was submitted this time by the Idaho senator as a separate resolution which at his own request immediately was laid aside for consideration after pending farm credits legislation is out of the way.

In order to prevent any undue delay, however, Mr. Borah indicated that when the proper time came he probably would move to add the resolution as an amendment to some bill already under discussion.

DAGHESTAN TRIBES APPEAL FOR HELP TO U. S. OFFICERS

MOSCOW. — By the Associated Press.—The Daghestan Republic, a tiny nation of fierce mountain tribes on the northeastern slope of the Caucausus, is starving and without medicine, M. Sumzofsky, the little country's president, has informed Captain Cyril J. Quinn, acting head of the American Relief administration. The relief organization has agreed to help Daghestan.

The population of this out of the way republic is chiefly Musselmen. Because the women, having practically no clothing, are without veils to hide their faces, the men go about on the streets only after dark.

DAHL TAX BILL WAS BLAINE MEASURE

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cent to the locality and 20 per cent to the county.

Tax Rates Boosted

Exemptions are increased from $1,200 to $1,600 for heads of families and from $200 to $300 for each child or dependent. Following are the rates proposed on all taxable incomes:

On the first $1,000, one percent.
On the second $1,000, two percent.
On the third $1,000, three percent.
On the fourth $1,000, four percent.
On the fifth $1,000, five percent.
On the seventh and eighth $1,000, eight percent.

On the ninth and tenth $1,000 ten percent.

On the eleventh to fifteenth $1,000 twelve percent.

On the fifteenth to twenty-fifth $1,000, thirteen percent.

On the twenty-fifth to fiftieth $1,000, sixteen percent.

On the fiftieth to seventy-fifth $1,000, eighteen per cent.

On all over $75,000, twenty per cent.

Mill Taxes Repealed

The state's share of the tax is set aside in a separate income tax fund. There is appropriated annually out of this fund for the university, normal schools and common schools, an amount which will approximate that raised by the mill taxes which are repealed. These appropriations are $1,750,000 for the university, $775,000 for the normal schools, and $3,300,000 for the common schools. In addition, $1,000,000 is appropriated to the teachers' insurance and retirement fund.

All above $1,000,000 remaining in the fund at the end of each fiscal year, to guard against any slump, is transferred to the common school fund.

"The effect of this bill is to about double the receipts from income taxation," Judge Rosa said in a statement accompanying the proposal. "The rate on property has doubled since 1911; hence this will re-establish the ratio between the burden of income taxes and property taxes at practically the same proportion that existed when the income tax law was enacted in 1911.

Cities to Get More

"Municipalities and counties will receive a slight increase in income taxes above what they receive at the present time. The bill will not increase taxes, but will re-adjust them. It repeals all of the mill taxes so that in the future there will be no levy of state taxes. This will relieve property owners of five to eight cents out of every dollar of taxes paid in cities and villages, to from eight to twenty cents out of every dollar of taxes paid in country towns.

"It relieves real estate and especial small property holders and loads the burden on people having the large incomes."

This bill would differ from the Severson bill in that it would not impose a surtax.

MINNEAPOLIS FLAX

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flax—No. 1, $2.85 3/4 to $2.86 3/4.

ATTEMPT TO WRECK TRAIN OF WAYGAND

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zone do not intend to yield to Franco-Belgian pressure; instead they constitute a "compact unit in their determination to resist French encroachments."

This statement, made public at a time when all attempts to communicate with Essen were failing, declared that the Ruhr was united in supporting the government's policy. Herr Thyssen questioned whether the French could effect a customs ring that would serve their purpose, and said that strangers could hardly hope to operate the mines or railroads successfully.

Government spokesmen feel that the measures the French are bringing is an acute situation, especially as regards the mines which are hampered by the car shortage.

Wholesale Arrests Expected

DUESSELDORF.— Wholesale arrests and expulsions of German officials Monday foreshadowed the rule of the military in the entire industrial area. Martial law has already been declared at Moers, in the Belgian zone, and similar proclamations are expected momentarily in other cities.

Orders have been issued by Gen. Degoutte, the French commander in chief, to arrest or expel all German officials who refuse to take orders from military authorities. Civilians who resist are also to be expelled. In view of the fact that all local authorities have been instructed by the Berlin government not to heed the invaders, there is no doubt but what the general's order will mean the exile of practically every local official and their replacement by the French.

Curfew Stirs Resentment

Resentment against the French increased when reports were spread that Gen. Degoutte planned to impose the following regulations after a state of siege was declared:

Curfew between the hours of 9 p. m. and 5 a. m.

Prohibition of open air gatherings, with penalty for violators of five years' imprisonment, a fine of 10,000,000 marks, or both.

Completion of military plans, it was declared, indicates that France is now ready for the rigid enforcement of the customs blockade.

The clergy of the Ruhr have joined workers and industrialists in opposition of the French occupation. Speaking before a Cologne Catholic organization, Archbishop Schulte appealed to members of his denomination all over the world for help. He stated that Premier Poincare's course of action was threatening civilization of Europe.

In an address to members of his own diocese the archbishop urged "strong resistance."

Similar expressions were made by other clergymen of the territory.

Rail Strike Spreads

The railroad strike has spread to Coblenz, Aix La Chapelle, Treves, Bonn, Cologne, and many other cities.

Both French and Germans in many sections are engaged in tearing up tracks and otherwise destroying railroad property. The French tore up 300 yards of track at Cologne to prevent German crews from running engines and emptying cars into the unoccupied portion of Germany. Germans tore up tracks to wreck trains being run by imported French workmen.

An attempt to wreck the Paris-Warsaw express was frustrated by French authorities, who hurriedly repaired the right of way just before the approach of the international flyer.

Even the more optimistic believe it will take weeks for the French to straighten out the transportation tangle. Very few trains ran Monday. Crews left the engines when orders were given to them by the French.

France cannot hope to man the trains, even for military purposes, with the 3,500 men she imported from five of the largest carriers in France, observers say. Normal traffic in the Ruhr demands 70,000 railroaders and thousands of employes to man the 700 stations.

The telegraph strike added to the confusion. Berlin was cut off from communication—telephone and telegraph—with the Ruhr at noon. Telegraphers at Cologne systematically interfered with communication with France and Belgium. The trouble at Cologne was precipitated when French sentries were placed in front of the telegraph offices.

Censorship Adds Difficulties

Owing to the mild censorship and the crippled lines of communication, correspondents are having the greatest difficulty in getting their stories to other parts of the world.

Telephone communication has also been crippled. Operators, in several cases, ruined the switchboards and committed sabotage in other ways. Any interference by the military has resulted in immediate strikes.

German Debt Increasing

BERLIN.—Germanys floating debt during the ten days pending January 2, increased by two hundred and ten billion marks to one trillion eight hundred and twenty one billion marks.

GOVERNMENT WOULD SETTLE ITS CLAIM AGAINST LINCOLN FIRM FOR MILLION AND HALF

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The amount agreed upon by the department of justice and the receiver for the Lincoln Motor Car company in settlement of the government's claim for alleged over-payments on war contracts is $1,500,000, according to William Riter, assistant attorney general, who said Tuesday, however, that this figure was subject to the approval of Judge Tuttle of the federal district court at Detroit.

Schedule Final Hearing

DETROIT, Mich.—The government's claim against the Lincoln Motor Car company for alleged over-payments on war contracts, was slated for final settlement in United States district court here Tuesday. Attorneys for the government and the receiver for the Lincoln company had reached an agreement on the amount to be returned to the government and Judge Arthur J. Tuttle was prepared to make the amount public along with his approval.

The claim was one of the largest filed by the government against concerns that manufactured munitions during the world war. Over-payments totalling $9,188,561 were made in the Lincoln company, it was alleged. The company was charged with numerous irregularities, one charge being that "the finest automobile factory in the country was built during the war period at government expense."

To this plant, it was charged, the company added a $500,000 office building and a $170,000 dining hall.

Made 700 Per cent Profit

The profits of the company were declared by the government to have been 700 per cent on the money actually invested.

The complaint also declared the company had changed its contract for the manufacture of Liberty motors, raising the profit on each motor from $625, stipulated in the original contract, to $1,275. The government paid $4,000 for each completed motor, it was said.

Another declaration in the complaint was that the government paid amortization amounting to $3,000,000 on the 52 acre plant, site and testing ground, which was said to be worth but $1,000,000.

Henry M. Leland, former president, and Wilfred C. Leland, former vice president, it was charged, received salaries for the year 1918 of $100,000 each.

The Lincoln company was taken over at a bankruptcy sale by Henry Ford last year for $8,000,000. The amount agreed upon by the attorneys who effected the settlement is to be paid by the receiver from the proceeds of the sale of the Ford interests.

POOREST COAL SENT TO WISCONSIN SAYS FUEL COMMISSIONER

Badger Official Asks Federal Investigation to Obtain Relief for State

MADISON, Wis.—Coal of the poorest quality is being sent Wisconsin dealers by eastern operators, P. H. Pressentin, secretary of the state coal commission has advised Senator Walsh, Massachusetts, in a letter asking that the federal government investigate and remedy the situation.

The state coal distributor said that he investigated a carload of anthracite sent to one Manitowoc dealer, from Scranton, Pa., which was the "best collection of slate, bone and clinker ever collected in a single car."

"The state governments are powerless to act in such cases," Mr. Pressentin said. "Enactment of federal legislation is the only cure for the existing condition affecting coal."

Senator Walsh is expected to act to help remedy the situation.

LINDAHL PROPOSES PENSION INCREASE FOR BADGER BLIND

MADISON, Wis.—A bill asking for an increase in the pensions awarded blind persons in the state was introduced by Assemblman Sixtus Lindahl, Superior, in the lower house of the Wisconsin legislature Tuesday.

In addition to increasing the pension to $250 annually for blind persons and to $300 annually for persons blind and deaf, the bill asks that the county board determine the advisability of pensions, which shall be paid as they determine rather than at the discretion of the state blind bureau.

A bounty of $5 on wildcat and lynx was asked by Assemblyman A. B. Blomberg, Price county, in a bill.

A bill amending the statutes relating to free text books so that the board may purchase text books without the approval of the state or county superintendent was introduced in the lower house by Assemblyman E. H. Johnson, Frederic.

VISITING COMMITTEE OF LEGISLATURE IS NAMED BY GOVERNOR

MADISON, Wis.—Appointment of the legislative visiting committee charged with inspection of all state charitable, penal and educational institutions, was announced Tuesday by Governor J. J. Blaine.

Those named on the committee are: Senators C. B. Casperson, Frederic, and J. L. Barber, Marathon county; Assemblymen Fred C. Smith, Ashland; Gustav iZtlo, West Depere; John Gamper, Medford, and Alex C. Ruffing, Milwaukee.

Before the legislature takes up consideration of problems involving the state charitable and penal institutions, this committee visits each with a view to determining conditions under which inmates are living.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY ELKS' BAND

At a recent meeting of the B. P. O. Elks Band No. 300, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Emil H. Erickson; vice president, W. J. Smale; secretary, Theo. D. Solie; treasurer, W. A. Howard.

The following were also elected to serve as directors for the coming year: Edw. E. Hagdahl, Edw. Beranek, and Olaf Smevog, who in connection with the above named executive officers, will constitute the governing board.

The band will be composed of 25 pieces this coming year, all being members of the B. P. O. Elks Lodge No. 300, and as the band will appear for Elks' occasions only, it will make this a strictly non-competitive organization.

The Band will make its initial appearance for the 1923 Season at the Elks' hall next Saturday evening, when a concert will be rendered in connection with an entertainment given by the local order.

DOUGHERTY QUESTIONS SALE OF LEHIGH FIRM

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.— Attorney general Daugherty filed in the Federal district court Tuesday a petition raising the question whether the proposed sale of the stock of the Lehigh and Wilkesbarre coal company to the Jackson E. Reynolds syndicate of New York, was made in good faith.

MOONSHINE CRAZED HUSBAND SHOOTS HIS WIFE AND HIMSELF

John P. Thilmany of Winona is Dead and Wife is Dangerously Wounded

WINONA.—John P. Thilmany, 33 years old, today lay dead, killed by a revolver in his own hand, his wife, Frances, 28 years old was in the Winona General hospital with a severe gunshot wound inflicted by her husband, while seven children, ranging in age from nine months to ten years, were fatherless as a result of the shooting affair last night in the yard in front of the home, 873 East Fifth street.

Thilmany who had been drinking heavily, according to neighbors, followed his wife out of the house, fearing that she was about to summon police, shot her in the back as she passed through the gate, and then turned the gun on himself causing a wound between the eyes which resulted in immediate death, investigation showed.

Neighbors, aroused by the screaming of the Thilmany children who heard the shots and rushed out into the yard, found Mrs. Thilmany lying on the sidewalk outside the gate, and her husband's lifeless body just inside the gate.

DR. FOX DIES

MILWAUKEE.—Dr. Philip Fox 44, widely known Milwaukee physician died at his home here today of pneumonia. Dr. Fox was a member of the Wisconsin State Medical Society, the Tri-State Medical society, and was fellow in the American Medical Association.

CASH GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Ill.—Wheat—No. 2 hard, $1.12 1/4 to $1.17 1/2.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, 70 1/2 to 70 3/4; No. 3 yellow, 70 1/2 to 71c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 63 1/4 to 44 1/2c; No. 3 white, 42 to 43 1/4c.

Rye—No. 2, 86 1/2c.

Barley—60 to 65c.

Timothy seed—$6.00 to $6.50.

Clover seed—$13.50 to $20.50.

Pork—Nominal.

Lard—$11.30.

Ribs—$10.50 to $11.50.

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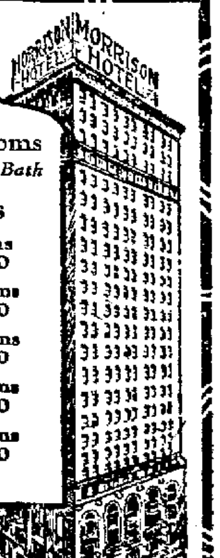

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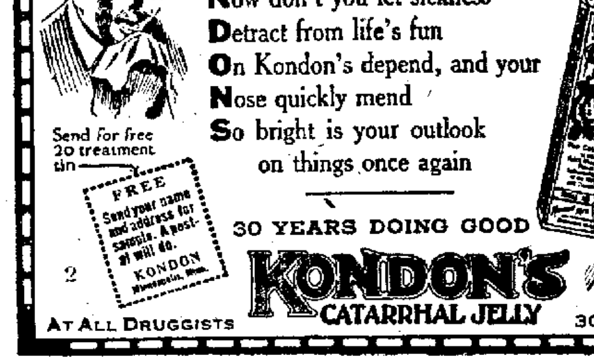

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Long and Unseasonable Hours Required of Workers in State Positions

CHAIRMAN OF WOMAN'S PARTY QUESTIONS EKERN RULING

Law Forbidding Women Workers a Just One He Holds

MADISON, Wis.—By The Associated Press.—Despite the Wisconsin equal rights law, women of the state are still subject to limitation in the exercise of their new privileges, Attorney General Herman L. Ekern Tuesday advised Mrs. Mabel R. Putnam, state chairman of the National Woman' party. Mrs. Putnam a short time ago took the attorney general to task for holding that the new statute had not altered a statute forbidding employment of women as legislative clerks.

Mr. Ekern in reply to the representative of the woman's party referred to a petition of the equal rights law which qualifies its scope, and advised Mrs. Putnam that in her criticism she had overlooked this section. It says that the statutes shall be construed to include the feminine gender wherever the masculine is used, "unless such construction will deny to females the special protection and privileges which they now enjoy for the general welfare."

"In constructing this act, it seems to me," Mr. Ekern wrote, "that the qualifying sentence is very important. It is inevitable that the legislative employes referred to in my former opinion must devote to the service long hours and often be on duty at very unseasonable hours.

"The legislative policy of the state of Wisconsin, as developed for the protection of woman, is found in the statute and the orders of the industrial commission made pursuant thereto. These prohibit excessive hours and limit employment in night work in a manner which would be wholly incompatible with the work of legislative employes.

"The reasons for the enactment of the law prohibiting the employment of men in the legislative service were very satisfactory to the public when the law was enacted and did not spring from any desire to exclude women from employment, but from a desire for the protection of women against the conditions and requirements of such employment.

"I believe that the construction which I have given the law is strictly within its terms and in the public interest and that you and the officers of the National Woman's party and others who have been active in the work before legislatures will, upon considering this question with the limiting clause I have mentioned, agree with the construction I have given it."

AMERICAN LEGION, VIROQUA, TO GIVE A PROGRAM ON JAN. 31

VIROQUA, Wis.—At the Temple theater on Wednesday evening State Commander Duffy will speak before the Vernon county American Legion and Dr. C. V. Porter will give a review of his visit to the battlefields of France. There will also be a short musical program. The entertainment is open to everybody and every member of the Legion is earnestly requested to be present. The American Legion has had an increase in membership during the past few months which is very encouraging. The Legion band recently organized is making satisfactory progress. Rehearsals are being held three and four times a week for the big minstrel show to be given on February 14-15 by the boys of the Legion.

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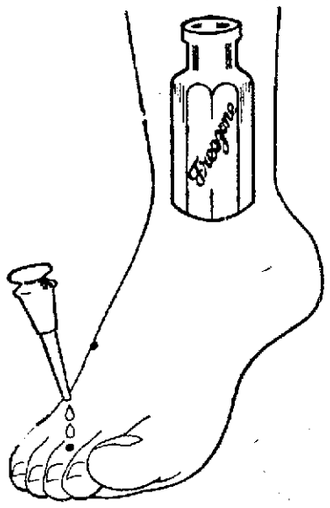

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WISCONSIN AT WASHINGTON

By Betty Pruett Farrington

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Failure of the Senate to pass legislation in addition to the Capper Bill for the relief of agriculture will leave a large class of farmers without adequate credit facilities in the present crisis, Senator Irvine L. Lenroot told the Senate.

Adoption of the Lenroot Bill extending to each of the Federal Farm Land Banks of the Federal Farm Loan System $5,000,000 for long time credit for farmers was urged by the Senator who opened the fight for the measure.

"A few days ago," said Senator Lenroot, "the Senate passed what is known as the Capper Bill, the effect of which was to enable the larger livestock interests of the country to get their credit facilities through the organization of corporations with a minimum capital of $250,000 under Federal supervision. Yet, we find in some newspapers that the Capper Bill is all the credit legislation that the agricultural interests need expect from Congress.

"If I had thought that the Capper Bill was the only agricultural legislation with reference to the subject of credits that was to be enacted at this session, I would have been very strongly disposed to oppose it because there was not only one interest, and that the largest interest in the country, that would be served by an agricultural credits bill, and because if discrimination is to be made those interests with large resources are better able to take care of themselves than the average farmer.

"The Capper Bill does not liberalize credits. It simply restricts credits to the idea of making them more accessible to bankers buying livestock paper."

The Senator then explained that his bill would furnish the gap in the credit system of the country necessary to take care of the peculiar needs of the farm attending the production and marketing of crops.

An attempt to pass the Lenroot bill within the next week will be made. The Administration's forces hope for early action in order to take up the Ship Subsidy Bill although the Farm Bloc proposes first to consider the Truth-in-Fabric Bill and the Voigt Filled-Milk Bill which has already passed the House.

An effort by Senator Ladd of North Dakota, to take the Filled Milk off the calendar before the Lenroot Bill was taken up was opposed by the Wisconsin Senator. Mr. Lenroot suggested the Filled Milk Bill could better be taken up after the Lenroot Bill had been disposed of.

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The proposal of the Senate to appropriate an additional $75,000 to continue the work of the Joint Congressional Postal Commission to June 30,1924 was vigorously opposed in the House by Representative Stafford, of Milwaukee, whose fight was followed by the action of the House in refusing to concur in the Senate's amendment. The amendment was carried in the Postoffice appropriation bill and rejected by a vote of 212 to 90.

"What we should do is to call the commission to time," said Mr. Stafford," force them to make their report by June 30, 1923, so that when Congress reassembles at the next regular session it will be able to use this information."

He pointed out that this was the third time the Commission, which was authorized in 1920 to investigate the country's postal facilities, has asked for an extension of time and more money. On the roll call the delegation voted as follows:

Against the appropriation: Beck, Browne, Cooper, Lampert, A. P. Nelson, J. M. Nelson, Stafford, and Frear.

For the Appropriation: Voigt.

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While no members of the delegation participated in the fight on the resolution of the Judiciary committee of the House to dismiss the impeachment charges of Representative Keller, of Minnesota, against Attorney General Daugherty all of them except two voted. The roll call was as follows:

For sustaining the impeachment charges: Beck, Browne, Cooper, Lampert, J. M. Nelson, and Voigt.

Against sustaining the charges: Kleczka, A. P. Nelson and Stafford.

Not voting:: Frear and Classon.

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Members of the Wisconsin delegation are being flooded with petitions in favor of legislation to aid the German and Austrian people. At the present time there is pending in the Foreign Affairs committee a resolution authorizing the appropriation of $70,000,000 to aid the people of those countries.

Representative Lampert, of Oshkosh, presented to the House petitions in favor of the legislation from Manitowoc, Neenah, Kiel, Brillion, Hayton, and Princeton.

A protest from people of Fond du Lac against the passage of the Bursum Indian Land Bill, now pending in the Senate Public Lands committee, was also presented by Mr. Lampert.

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Nominations of Frank E. Weiman to succeed John O. Sullivan as postmaster of Washburn, and Simon Wehrwein to succeed H. C. Schuette as postmaster of Manitowoc were sent to the Senate by President Harding.

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When the House adopted by a vote of 223 to 101 the Green resolution providing a Constitutional amendment for the prohibition of tax exempt securities, the Wisconsin delegation voted as follows:

For the constitutional amendment: Beck Browne, Cooper, Frear, Kleczka, A. P. Nelson, J. A. Nelson Stafford and oVigt.

Against the amendment: None.

Not voting—Classon.

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An amendment to the District of Columbia Appropriation Bill giving the District a Workmen's Compensation Law was supported by Representative Lampert, of Oshkosh, in a speech on the House floor. Mr. Lampert is a member of the District Committee which constitutes in many ways the governing board of this territory.

He drew chiefly from the experience with such a law in Wisconsin. During the course of his remarks, he readd a letter from E. E. Witte, that state funds operated at a smaller expense ratio than private compensation companies.

"Those who opposed the bill opposed it because it does not hand to them this new business under a law which compels every employer to insure," said Mr. Lampert, "because it prohibits capitalizing the blood of fellow human beings. They have that right now in the District of Columbia. They had that right in my State and in every other state before the compensation laws went into effect."

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Representative Stafford, of Milwaukee, got into a sharp quarrel with Representative Snyder, of New York, when the Wisconsin member made a second day speech in opposition to the previous action of the House in increasing from $37,000,000 to $56,000,000 the appropriation for rivers and harbors carried in the Army bill. His speech was made during the general debate on the Legislative Bill.

"Is there any river and harbor item in this bill," interrupted Mr. Snyder.

"No," responded Mr. Stafford. "I was speaking in general debate because I could not get time yesterday."

"I was wondering why the gentleman who is so anxious to save time is wasting time by talking about an issue that is finished."

Then Mr. Mr. Stafford explained he was unable to get into the debate yesterday through certain objections, which he had denounced as unfair, by Representative Newton, of Missouri.

"This is the most wonderful post mortem address I ever heard," curtly added Mr. Snyder.

On the question of raising the rivers and harbors appropriation from $37,000,000 to $56,000,000 the Wisconsin delegation was recorded as follows:

For the increase: Beck, Cooper, Kleczka, and Voigt.

Against the increase: Browne, Frear, Lampert, Stafford.

Not voting: Classon, A. P. Nelson, J. M. Nelson.

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A well-known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states than an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation; then our meals sour, forming acrid fluids and gases, which inflate the stomach. We then get that heavy, lumpy feeling in the chest, we eructate food, or have heartburn, water-brash or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids, and instead get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast, while it is effervescing, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relief often follows the first dose, it is important to neutralize the acidity, start the liver, stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

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FARMER MUST PLAY WAITING GAME SAYS HARVARD PROFESSOR

Only Remedy for Plight is to Wait Till Consumption and Purchasing Power Catch up

COLUMBUS, Ohio, —By The Associated Press.—There is no real remedy for the farmer's condition but to wait until "the consuming and purchasing power of his customers catches up," T. N. Carver, professor of economics at Harvard University declared in an address Tuesday at Farmers' Week at Ohio State University.

"Since 1920, through the lack of purchasing power on the part of our best foreign customers our farmers are left with a surplus on their hands. There is no real remedy but to wait until the consuming and purchasing power catch up, as they will before long."

Discussing the proposed plans of extending credit to farmers the speaker asserted credit is of no advantage to a farmer unless he either is making money or showing signs of being able to make money in the near future.

BREWER IS FINED $50 PER KEG FOR "SPOILED BEER"

MILWAUKEE, Wis. — Possession of "spoiled" beer cost the Plymouth Brewing and Malting company, Plymouth, Wis., $50 a keg Monday afternoon by Judge Geiger in Federal court when it pleaded guilty to an indictment returned by the October grand jury charging traffic in real beer.

The company was fined a total of $1,500 on thirty-one of the thirty-eight counts contained in the true bill. Five relating to alleged sales of beer and two to manufacture were nolled on motion of William O. Meilahn, assistant United States district attorney, who said that some doubt existed as to whether violations charged in these counts were not duplicated in others allowed to stand.

Mr. Meilahn charged that seventy-four samples taken from the brewery's rack room on August 3, 1922, showed alcoholic contents ranging from .93 to 3.63 per cent and thirty from the open market, .99 to 1.91 per cent. J. E. Curtiss president of the defendant company, testified that 25 kegs which tested over 2 per cent contained beer which had been returned by saloon keepers and other customers because it had "spoiled."

NON-SECTARIAN SCHOOL PLANNED AT MICHIGAN U

DETROIT, Mich.—Pledges totalling approximately $1,000,000 have been made for the establishment of a non-sectarian school of religion in connection with the University of Michigan it was unofficially reported here Tuesday.

A site adjacent to the university has been selected, it was said. Subscriptions, it was said, were made by several hundred prominent persons representing numerous denominations, the project being for the purpose of inculcating a higher moral and religious trend to American life.

STRAND TODAY

Shirley Mason, the dainty Fox star, will be seen as a daring bareback rider of the sawdust ring in her latest William Fox production, "Shirley of the Circus," the featured attraction at the Strand theater today.

"Shirley of the Circus," as the title indicates, is a modern story of life under the "big top," and the little star promises her local followers some real thrills through her startling feats of horsemanship.

A number of typical French scenes will be seen in the early part of the picture, inasmuch as the action of the play starts off with Miss Mason as a performer with a group of French troupers.

CAROL DEMPSTER in D.W.GRIFFITH'S "ONE EXCITING NIGHT"

At the Riviera all this week.

Leatrice Joy in "Minnie"

At the Rivoli theatre tonight.

MOVIES

"THE CHRISTIAN"

Is a story with a great theme bound to any period?

This question was answered in the negative by Director Maurice Tourneur during the preparation for filming Sir Hall Caine's novel, "The Christian," which will be screened at the Rivoli Theater for four days, beginning Wednesday. Producers are reluctant to burden their photodramas with out-of-date styles in garb.

The stage play, it will be remembered, first was produced in London about ten years ago, while two film versions, one in England and one in the United States were released at about the same time. Other reasons than avoiding the costume problem, however, actuated those in charge of the enterprise. It was agreed at once in the preliminary discussions that aside from the costume question, "The Christian" would have more force with present-day audiences if John Storm, as "The Christian," should be confronted with present-day temptations readily understood by the present day public, and also that as the story is predominantly a psychological study, nothing would be gained by hampering it with the clothing of its original period.

"The Christian," in this screen version is a man of this hour, living his devoted life under the conditions which now prevail, and meeting obstacles which we of today know.

D. W. GRIFFITH'S NEW PICTURE ANNOUNCED

A brand new D. W. Griffith photoplay is announced as the principal motion picture attraction soon to be shown here. This news is given out by A. J. Cooper, manager of the Riviera theater, who states that the latest Griffith screen sensation, "One Exciting Night," has been booked for an engagement of six days beginning yesterday.

With this announcement comes the statement that "One Exciting Night," a United Artists Corporation release, differs in almost every respect from former Griffith productions. It does not present any great historical period; does not picturize any enormous spectacle; has no tremendous mob scenes, but Mr. Griffith has departed from the heavy and spectacular to tell a modern and strictly up-to-date mystery.

The mystery picture is new to the screen, and critics point out, naturally follows the increasing popularity in the last two or three years of the mystery stage play.

CASINO

William Duncan, star and director of "The Fighting Guide," which will be shown at the Casino theater today, holds the record for queer pets and fads. He may easily be declared the champion queer hobby expert, for he is the only man who has maintained a fire engine as a souvenir of his art.

Just why he kept it around his home no one seems to know, but at any event there was considerable raising of eyebrows and general surprise this week when a fire engine, seemingly of the Chicago haze vintage, rolled into a lower section of the Vitagraph plot.

Mr. Duncan arrived a few moments later, said it was his fire engine, and would the studio management please keep it for him, along with "Black Beauty" and other animals useful in picture making?

"GODLESS MEN"

"Godless Men" is one of the strangest pictures ever screened. The expected way for a father to act who discovers his only daughter after long years of absence is to take her in his arms in the joy of that discovery. Not so Russell Simpson, who plays "Black Pawl" in the Reginald Barker production, "Godless Men." "Black Pawl" loves his daughter Ruth (Helen Chadwick), but there is a knowledge in his soul which makes finding her a realization almost greater than he can bear. While his whole heart cries out to her "Daughter!" the father calls upon his God to keep him from claiming her.

In this restraining power is the life story of the man, which is portrayed in this unusual story of life on the high seas, at the Majestic Theatre for two more days.

"MINNIE"

Marshall Neilan put some rare humor into his latest production "Minnie" being shown at the Rivoli Theater last times tonight. That its humor gets over is evident by the gales of laughter at every showing of "Minnie" at the Rivoli Theater. But he has made the story human too. And that is what people like most of all.

Leatrice Joy who enacts the role of "Minnie" gives a remarkable performance. Here's a girl who entered the picture field by winning a beauty prize and those who remember her in other screen productions will admit that Leatrice is a beauty. Yet in this picture she is the "homely girl" and she makes herself look the part. In the end she shows her real self which doubles the contrast in effect. Leatrice has never filled a role like this before.

Matt Moore also comes before the public in a new role in "Minnie," portraying an inquisitive, forgetful reporter. He has freckles. He wears gold spectacles. His coat is long and baggy. He is convincing enough to make his audience laugh with and at him.

PORT WASHINGTON, Wis.—Two new wards will be added here this spring making a total of six, Mayor Kaiser believes.

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PURDUE AND BADGERS CLASSED ABOUT EVEN MEET NEXT TUESDAY

Defeat of Chicago Shows Boilermakers to be on About Even Terms

BADGERS TRAINING HARD FOR NEXT TWO GAMES ON SCHEDULE

Iowa Keeps in Undefeated Class by Defeating Purple

BY BOB DUNN

PURDUE'S overwhelming defeat of Chicago on Saturday night shows that the Boilermakers and Wisconsin will clash on about even terms when the two fives meet at Lafayette a week from Tuesday in the next game for Wisconsin. It will be the Badgers' first game of the second semester.

Chicago did not have a show against Purdue the first half, according to reports, and the Lafayette five piled up a score of 29 to 9. In the second period, however, the Maroons came back strong but the lead against them in the first half was too much to overcome.

Hard Games Ahead

The Wisconsin five is hard at work polishing up its play for the two hardest games of the year next week when both Purdue and Michigan, two of the strongest teams in the Big Ten, are met on foreign floors the same week, Purdue at Lafayette on Tuesday night and Michigan at Ann Arbor on Saturday, February 10.

Northwestern's continued strong showing against Iowa on Saturday shows that the Badgers will have another strong team to encounter when the Methodists come to Madison in March. Maurice Kent, Northwestern coach, was at Wisconsin for a number of years and is well acquainted with the Badgers' play which he is attempting to introduce at Evanston.

Iowa's win over Northwestern keeps them in the undefeated class. For a time last week, however, it looked as though Iowa's hopes would be spilled for the score at the end of the first half of the Northwestern tilt was 11 to 11. The Iowans gradually forged ahead in the second period, however, and the game ended 29 to 22.

Badger followers are anxiously awaiting the two games with Purdue and Michigan next week for these contests will have most important bearing on how the Badgers will stand at the end of the season.

Purdue-Michigan Strong

Both Purdue and Michigan are strong. Although the Boilermakers were defeated by Northwestern in their first game, they have secured their bearings since and won handily from both Illinois and Chicago. Report has it, however, that the team is not as strong as it was last year when Purdue won leading honors in the Big Ten.

Coach Meanwell has his men impressed with the seriousness of the two games next week and his team will be fighting hard to maintain its lead at the head of the conference percentage column.

BIG TEN ATHLETIC COACHES SHOULD BE PAID UNIFORMLY

MADISON, Wis.—Conference athletic coaches should be paid uniform salaries according to Professor James F. A. Pyre of the university who says that no coach is extremely better than another.

Professor Pyre favors a "reasonably high" salary for college coaches. He said that he believes it is undesirable for the general spirit of athletics that colleges enter into competition after paying exhorbitant salaries to coaches. Most of the institutions that have been guilty of paying high salaries to coaches are also somewhat extreme in other ways, he contends.

Leading institutions will not allow themselves to be led on in a general trend of high salaried coaching staffs, Professor Pyre asserted as his belief.

LOUGHRAN GETS CRACK AT GREB'S TITLE TONIGHT

NEW YORK—Harry Greb, American light heavyweight champion, and Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia Tuesday reported themselves in readiness for their fifteen round bout in Madison Square Garden Tuesday night. The Pittsburgh speed boy, in giving Loughran a crack at his championship, is exposing it to considerable risk. Loughran is far from being a soft spot. While Greb has the edge in point of speed, Loughran totes a heftier wallop.

Johnny Dundee, junior lightweight champion, and Elino Flores, the crack Filipino boxer, are in shape for their championship battle in the Garden on Friday night. Dundee has not fought since he beat "Pepper" Martin in Boston several weeks ago.

THREE APPLETON ELK TEAMS ROLL IN TOURNAMENT

APPLETON, Wis.—Only three teams, all from Appleton rolled in the Elks bowling tournament on Monday. No games are scheduled for Tuesday. Spickerman's Specials, rolling 2,199, now are leading in the five man events.

Four teams are scheduled to roll on Wednesday. Only Appleton squads will use the alleys until Saturday, when Oshkosh, Milwaukee and Beloit fives are expected to take the alleys.

RAIL REVENUES INCREASE

CHICAGO, Ill.—The Chicago-Great Western railroad reported operating revenue increased $461,000 in December.

CHOICE OF AVAILABLE MEN TO FILL BADGER COACHING POSITION NARROWS TO FOUR

By BOB DUNN

FROM a conversation with Tom Jones, Wisconsin's director of athletics, it would appear that the choice of the Badger athletic council for football coach has been narrowed down to four men from the list of eleven available candidates.

Jones has decided to call these men to Madison for interviews before going before the athletic council with his recommendation. Following these interviews, the council will take definite action on the question of a coach and then their recommendation will have to secure the O. K. of the board of university regents.

Consider Four Men

The men who are now receiving the most serious consideration for the job are Jack Ryan, former Dartmouth, Marquette and St. Thomas mentor, Pat Page, now of Butler college and formerly of Chicago university, John Henderson of Southern California and Harry Hughes of the Colorado Aggies.

Although the order in which the prospective coaches are being called to Madison has no bearing on their respective standings with the athletic department, Jack Ryan was the first man called in for an interview. Ryan arrived in Madison Saturday morning and was entertained at a luncheon given for him by the athletic council when he was quizzed regarding his stand on various propositions.

Both Jones and Ryan announced after the meeting that no definite action had been taken. The former Marquette coach was at Madison once before to talk over the situation with Jones.

Ryan, a former Dartmouth star, has made an enviable reputation in the coaching field. At St. Thomas his football teams nor baseball teams never suffered defeat while he was there. At Marquette Ryan's football teams were never defeated except once by Notre Dame and that year the South Bend aggregation boasted of one of the strongest elevens in the middle west. That year Marquette was the only team to score on Notre Dame.

Page Known in Basketball

Pat Page, another candidate who is not being considered as seriously as the rest, according to report, is well known at Wisconsin not so much for his work in football as in basketball. He was basketball coach at Chicago for a number of years and turned out strong teams. During the last two years he has developed fives at Butler which have defeated the best the conference has been able to produce. In football he was an assistant to Coach Stagg at Chicago and learned the game from the old man of football.

Both Henderson of Southern California and Harry Hughes of the Colorado Aggies have made enviable reputations in the west and both are receiving serious consideration.

The four candidates who are leading in the voting being conducted by the Wisconsin State Journal, The La Crosse Tribune and the Milwaukee Sentinel are not likely to receive the endorsement of the athletic council, it would appear. Al Buser of the St. Paul Central high school, a former Madison boy, may be barred because he participated in a professional football game at Minneapolis and professionals are barred as coaches in the Big Ten.

Jones Opposes Ofstie

It is understood that Jones is opposed to Ofstie, former Ripon coach and Wisconsin star now at the Mississippi A. and M. because of the methods he used in going after the coaching position at his alma mater.

Little of Michigan it is not possible to secure and although Devine is third in the voting contest, it is not expected that he would be selected as long as coaches with more experience are available.

From all indications it will still be a few weeks before a definite decision is made on a coach and the approval of the board of university regents secured on the recommendation of the athletic council.

BEST BOWLERS

HIGH SCORES	
SINGLE GAME	
Soller, Perfections	202
THREE GAME	
Soller, Perfections	540
TEAM SINGLE	
Storm Kings	879
TEAM TOTAL	
Storm Kings	2553
LOW SCORES	
SINGLE GAME	
Hadgraft, Eskimos	85
THREE GAME	
Hadgraft, Eskimos	325
TEAM SINGLE	
Polar Bears	693
TEAM TOTAL	
Eskimos	2248

PLANKINTON HOTELS OF MILWAUKEE ROLL 2ND ON TEAM LIST

Walter Pierce, Menasha, Breaks into Monopoly Held by Milwaukee Bowlers

MENASHA MAN PLACES THIRD WITH 659 IN SINGLES LIST

Green Bay Teams Take Drives Today and Tonight

GREEN BAY, Wis.—The capturing of second place in the five man event by the Plankinton hotels of Milwaukee and the 659 score rolled in the singles by Walter Pierce of Menasha, which placed him in third place were the only changes Monday in the standings of the state bowling teams in the fifth day of the twenty-first annual Wisconsin State Bowling team league held here. The Plankinton hotels attack on the pins netted them a count of 2,816, nineteen pins behind the high score rolled to date by the Schaller and Baris five of Milwaukee.

The standings of the five highest teams in the three events follow:

Five-Man

Schaller and Baris, Milwaukee	2,835
Plankinton Hotels, Milwaukee	2,816
Acme Patterns, Milwaukee	2,751
Earl's Fishes, Milwaukee	2,748
Weishaupt Shoes, Milwaukee	2,732

Doubles

P. Schneider-H. Schneider, Mil	1,218
S. Samong-W. Stieve, Milwaukee	1,187
B. Gutman-R. Bartsch, Milwaukee	1,134
W. Stray-H. Kissner, Milwaukee	1,15[illegible]
F. Kolacke-J. Jacobs, Milwaukee	1,15[illegible]

Singles

H. Nolte, Milwaukee	668
J. Reidy, Milwaukee	661
W. Pierce, Menasha	659
H. Hicks, Milwaukee	646
F. Freeming, Milwaukee	638

Green Bay teams are expected to score high on the alleys Tuesday and Tuesday night, when several of the crack local teams, which have chalked up good scores all winter, will take the floor.

BASKET BALL QUIZ

LIMIT TO FREE THROW

When a player is making a free throw for goal, is there any limit to the time he may take in preparing for the try for goal?

The player is not supposed to consume more than ten seconds in making the try for goal. The referee has the right to center the ball whether the goal is made or not if a player so offends.

SECOND DRIBBLE

Can a player, after completing a dribble, start a second dribble?

A player cannot start a second dribble, after completing one, unless the ball, when it was out of his possession, has touched another player. The penalty for a second dribble is giving the ball to the opposition, at a point nearest where the violation was committed.

PERSONAL FOULS

What are classed by the referee as personal fouls?

A personal foul is when a player, in the opinion of the referee, holds, blocks, trips, charges or pushes an opponent. It is not necessary that the player have the ball when an opponent so misuses him. The mere act is sufficient to be classed as a personal foul. Unnecessary roughness is another form of personal foul.

PINKEY AND BUD LOGAN IN MAIN EVENT TONIGHT

MILWAUKEE.—Pinkey Mitchell, Milwaukee, junior welter-weight champion and Bud Logan, Omaha, are to furnish the wind-up of a boxing program here Tuesday night in a 10-round no-decision contest. Both boys are expected to weigh in Tuesday afternoon below the 110 pounds stipulated weight. Both boxers are reported to have trained faithfully and to be in good condition.

KEOGAN DRILLING TEAM TO ELIMINATE PERSONAL FOULING

New Foul Rules Tending to Make Basketball Cleaner Game

LOCALS MEET UNIVERSITY HIGH HERE FRIDAY NIGHT

Visitors Will be Easily Greatest Five on Schedule

COACH Keogan aims to eliminate the personal fouling which has marred past games for the Red and Black by drilling his men in a more advanced style of basketball. This new system is becoming more evident since the adoption of the new regulations concerning fouls. The purpose of these regulations is to eliminate as far as possible bodily contact in the game.

A technical foul on the part of a team no longer allows its opponent the opportunity of scoring by free throw, but merely gives them possession of the ball at the nearest point out of bounds. A personal foul, however, which includes holding, tripping, blocking, and similar forms of bodily contact, grants the opponent a free throw and if made within the seventeen foot zone, two trys at the basket are given. This tends greatly to decrease the amount of fouling, and at the same time results in a cleaner, faster, and more scientific game. It teaches the basketball player to play the ball and not the man.

When La Crosse meets the University high quintet Friday night on the local floor, basketball fans can expect to witness easily one of the hardest games on the schedule.

STORM KINGS AND PERFECTIONS WIN THREE ON MONDAY

The Storm Kings stayed on the heels of the Perfections in winning three games in the Rubber Mills league Monday night. The Perfections won from the Polar Bears, while the Storm Kings defeated the Eskimos in three.

The Dictators won their second game of the league, taking one from the Sportsmen Specials.

The scores:

PERFECTIONS			
B. McFadden	97	169	159
A. Soller	152	156	202
R. Anderson	113	137	146
H. Kersten	132	138	149
G. Soller	158	142	152
Handicap	26	83	36
Totals	773	826	864
POLAR BEARS			
Debrunz	121	174	143
Kessel	121	122	142
Burke	119	135	126
Torrance	135	160	172
Low score	117	157	153
Handicap	80	53	61
Totals	693	801	807
ESKIMOS			
Weigel	131	151	163
Liscovec	181	148	155
Bjystad	134	144	101
Hadgraft	125	115	85
Carrol	116	114	138
Handicap	80	88	81
Totals	767	760	721
STORM KINGS			
Shada	179	171	172
Olson	159	162	173
Asselin	143	184	187
Hafner	200	149	167
Hemleben	124	131	155
Handicap	58	33	24
Totals	863	821	879
DICTATORS			
Craigen	152	139	116
Frederickson	119	176	144
Solotky	135	186	120
Julesburg	111	105	151
Elser	133	158	114
Handicap	100	56	93
Totals	752	817	724
SPORTSMEN'S SPECIAL			
A. Vos	123	152	168
R. Moore	159	168	147
R. J. Larkin	119	118	127
L. Perry	100	117	138
D. Long	139	131	126
Handicap	95	80	82
Totals	745	796	788
STAR BRAND			
W. Pirz	150	188	152
G. Gilbertson	151	128	132
C. Miller	98	144	165
J. Miles	151	137	193
C. Evenson	136	173	168
Handicap	82	78	47
Totals	771	868	858
CRAFTSMAN			
G. Simon	140	133	151
E. Zoeller	185	131	115
F. Spika	156	153	164
S. Dobby	128	102	121
R. Holland	[illegible]	166	127
G. Hayek	148	[illegible]	127
Handicap	68	70	88
Totals	825	773	749

MEKVOLD-BOLLRUD TOP NEWBURG AND KOHN IN FINALS

Mekvold and Bollrud topped Newburg and Kohn by 68 pins in the final of the match between the two pairs. The former had a total of 1792, against 1724 for Newburg and Kohn.

Liscovec and Williams were 343 pins to the good in their first match with Gonia and Paulson. The totals were 2026 to 1683.

The games:

Kohn-Newburg vs. Mekvold-Bollrud					
Newburg	191	205	192	157	151—1[illegible]
Kohn	171	157	153	178	179—1721
Mekvold	177	188	171	213	172
Bollrud	162	179	152	192	146—1792
Gonia-Paulson vs. Liscovec-Williams					
Gonia	159	136	146	169	156
Paulson	150	223	193	146	185—1683
Liscovec	233	173	181	173	236
Williams	197	187	185	224	246—2026

CONE'S RINK BEATS DR. MARSHALL IN MATCH GAME HERE

Charley Cone "slung" a wicked stone and his rink defeated Dr. Harry Marshall Monday night in one of the series of match games being played among local curlers. The score was 15 to 5. Doc says he will "come back" and even things up at the next meeting.

MOOSE WIN TWO IN POSTPONED GAMES

The Moose won two from the W. M. L. & P. company in a postponed series played off Monday.

The scores:

W.-M. L. & P. CO.			
Pope	149	158	167
Greul	181	126	130
Stringer	145	127	153
McDonald	171	155	108
Niedbalski	110	256	152
Handicap	55	52	87
Totals	811	884	797
MOOSE			
Mekvold	167	158	215
Knutson	142	144	133
Rogstad	157	152	168
Nonstad	155	180	150
Peterson	135	138	138
Handicap	76	63	46
Totals	832	844	880

BULLSEYES of BASEBALL

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THE MOST AMUSING SITUATION I EVER SAW

TO Dave Altizer goes the credit of creating the most amusing situation I have ever seen on the ball field.

It so happened that I was forced to play the leading role in the episode, since I was the umpire. If it had all been in earnest, Dave would probably have been suspended for life for the way he handled me.

Altizer had just been released by Cleveland to Chicago. Now if there is one thing a player likes to do it is go well against a club that has turned him loose.

Late in the game with one down, Altizer reached first on a hit. The next batter gave him the hit-and-run sign. Altizer was off with the pitch. The batsman sent a terrific line drive right into the hands of George Stovall, playing first base. Stovall merely stepped on the bag, completing a double play and retiring the side.

As Altizer neared second, the Chicago coacher at third yelled, "Slide, Dave, slide." Altizer went into the bag feet first. Stovall, seeing the hoax, threw the ball over second into center field.

Getting to his feet Altizer dashed for third. Joe Birmingham got the ball and threw it badly to Bill Bradley at third and Altizer kept on his way to the plate. The throw to the plate beat Altizer, but the Cleveland catcher purposely missed him.

Then, of course to can the climax, I declared Altizer out, although he had been missed a foot.

I tried my best to get away from him, but he grabbed my protector, kicked my mask and shoved me hither and thither while the crowd roared. He delayed the game at least five

minutes before he would take his position.

It was not until the next inning that he learned that he had run wild after being doubled up at first. Then he apologized. It sure was a comedy classic.

Next: The trickiest play I ever saw.

SKI TOURING IS LATEST SPORT PLAN CARNIVAL

CHICAGO, Ill.—Ski touring tried out for the first time at Grand Beach, Mich., Sunday, when five members of the Grand Beach club toured over the golf course there. Several of the artists rode behind automobiles, experimenting on the possibilities of motor touring. Plans for a touring carnival are on foot among the club members. Ragnar Omtvedt, Reiber Landin, and Trygne Massing took a few jumps from the hill, finding the slide in good condition.

PROTEST PRELATE'S EXPULSION

NEW YORK.—James A. Flaherty, supreme Knight of Columbus, received protests from Knights of Columbus in Mexico City over President Obregon's expulsion of Archbishop Filippi, apostolic delegate.

HOCKEY RESULTS

At Neenah, Sunday: Neenah 4, Oshkosh 2.

Seven inches of rain fell in 30 minutes at Cambridge, Ohio, July 16, 1914.

TWELVE TEAMS HAVE ALREADY ENTERED PAS DOG DERBY EVENT

THE PASS, Manitoba. — Twelve teams have thus far entered for the sixth annual dog Derby, to be run at The Pas Feb. 12. This event is to dog racing what the Kentucky Derby is to horse racing in North America. It will be over a 200 mile wilderness course, and will be worth $2,500 to the winner.

C. R. Morgan last year's winner, has his champion team entered. If Morgan wins, his third straight victory will give him possession of the Barns cup. The Dupas-Bancroft team, which placed second last year, is also entered. Other entrants are: W. Winterton, A. Russick, A. McDonald, Larry McKay, Solomon Cook, Alfred Ballantyne, W. Constant, Carl Sherman, Baptist Campbell, and Pranteau of Grand Rapids. Campbell won the second annual Derby and Pranteau has finished in all six races.

On approach of winter frogs bury themselves in mud until spring.

INJURIES KEEP TWO NORMAL SCHOOL MEN FROM SCRIMMAGE

Brown and Shields May be Out of Campion Game; Hawkins is Called Home

KEELER MUST DEVELOP NEW GUARDS FOR CAMPION TILT

Conners and Klandrud Likely Candidates for Jobs

LA CROSSE Normal basketball team is somewhat crippled this week because of injuries. Joe Shields discovered he had a broken nose. It was sustained one night in scrimmage but was not detected until Monday night. It is doubtful if he will be in condition to play in the game against Campion College on Wednesday.

Glen Brown La Crosse's mainstay on the defense, spent a night at the La Crosse hospital treating a bad elbow which shows indication of turning into blood poisoning. Hawkins, his running mate may not be in the lineup either. He was called home on account of death in his family. The rest of the team is in good condition.

Coach Keeler will have to work hard to develop a new pair of guards for the Campion game. Conners and Klandrud are the likely candidates for the jobs.

Campion is coming here with a good team to avenge the defeat that the Maroon and Gray handed them last season. They are coming with the scalp of the Columbia College at their belt. This game will put the team in great shape for the second conference game at Superior Saturday night.

SPORT BRIEFS

CHICAGO.—Joe Burman, Chicago bantam weight outpointed Patsy Flanagan, St. Louis in 10 rounds.

DETROIT, Mich.—A scheduled 10 round boxing bout between Hugh Walker, Kansas City, and Jack McAuliffe Detroit was halted in the 3rd. round by the boxing commissioner, who declared Walker was not in condition to fight.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Members of the Westminster Hockey club of New Haven barred from the United States Amateur Hockey League because of failure to appear for a scheduled game with Boston last week, voted to sever connections with their former sponsor and apply for reinstatement.

BASKETBALL RESULTS

At Milwaukee: Pio Nono 19; University of Wisconsin extension 11.

At Minneapolis: Iowa 32; Minnesota 16.

At Chicago: Ohio State 20; Northwestern 18.

YALE LEADING IN CAGE LEAGUE

NEW YORK—Princeton has surrendered to Yale leadership in the Intercollegiate Basketball league at the end of the second week of play. The schedule now lapses for the mid-year examinations, not to be resumed until February 10. The standing in games won and lost:

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Yale	2	0	1.000
Cornell	2	1	.667
Princeton	3	1	.600
Columbia	1	2	.333
Pennsy	0	1	.000
Cornell	0	3	.000

Arthur Loeb of Princeton is the leading point scorer with 49.

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MEN WANTING railway station office positions, with transportation. Free; experience unnecessary; write [illegible] Baker, Supt. Dept. 291 Wainwright [illegible] Louis. hold

WANTED—Boy to do light janitor work in exchange for a complete course of bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, etc. Address Box 504, General Delivery, La Crosse, Wis. 1 28 30

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LADIES TO CANVASS local or traveling positions. Part or full time. Big commission. Local ladies call [illegible]. For surrounding territory write [illegible] office, 102 So. 7th St., La Crosse, Wis. 1 11 1mo

WANTED—Housekeeper on farm. German preferred. State wages. Address J. H., Tribune. 1 29 31

WANTED—Competent maid for general housework. Mrs. J. W. Losey, 1751-M. 1 26 2 1

MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Mrs. [illegible]ingham, 207 West Ave. South. 1 27 2 2

WANTED—Girl for middle-aged woman to assist with housework. 1320 Rose. 1 30 31

GIRL OVER 16 wishes position in private family. Address H. J., Tribune. 1 29 31

WANTED—Housekeeper, no washing. Rev. N. M. Updale, 127 So. 7th St. 1 29 2 4

CHAMBERMAID wanted. American House. 1 29 2 2

MAID WANTED—La Crosse Hospital. 1 18 tf

WAITRESS wanted. Union Cafe. 1 29 31

Help Wanted—Male and Female

SOLICITORS wanted to sell Watkins products. Phone 1261-A. 1 30 2 5

DISHWASHER. 1617 Rose. 1 30 2 3

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

MY PERSONAL credit card allows your expenses from your home to California. Full particulars upon request. Barba [illegible], 159 North Clark street, Chicago, Ill. 1 30 30

FOR SALE—New home in choice residence district near Normal school. Inquire 1867 Madison St. 1 26 2 1

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SHOE REPAIR shop, 1008 So. 16th street. All kinds of machinery, good business in good location, is for sale. Cheap. Nels Elverum. 1 30 2 1

FOR SALE—Cheap. Two soda fountains. Inquire at Sweet Shop, 1013 Caledonia or Candy Dept. Doerflinger's. 1 28 2 3

TRAVELING BAGS, gladstones, salesmen's samples. Attractive values at Jefferson Hotel. 1 27 2 2

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FOR SALE—Large size soft coal heater and two lid kitchen heater. 823 S. 6th St. 1 30 30

FOR SALE—Good pair farm bob sleighs. Inquire 138 So. 5th. Phone 685-A. 1 30 31

FOR SALE—Furniture, range, gas stove, sewing machine. Austin, 115 N. 7th. 1 30 31

FOR SALE—Electric washing machine and auto knitter. Phone 1056-A. 1 29 30

FOR SALE—Three piece suit, squirrel collar. Size 16. Phone 2323-R. 1 28 30

1,000 POUND hydraulic elevator. Inquire Arenz Shoe Store. 12 7 tf

FOR SALE—Majestic range. Call 880-C. 1323 Vine. 1 29 30

FOR SALE—House boat 35x10. Phone 2712-Green. 1 28 2 3

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TEAM of horses for sale. 3352-R. 1 21 2 3

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FOUR NICE light housekeeping rooms. Private entrance and bath. Could sublet one or two rooms. 509 No. 4th. 1 30 2 1

CITY HEATED one and two-room apartments. Well furnished. Newly papered. 113 So. 3rd. 1 24 30

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FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. Normal students preferred. 1258-A. 1 28 30

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms, city heat. Basement. 305 So. 5th. 1 30 2 1

FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms. Call after 5. 709 So. 4th. 1 30 2 1

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 1523 George. Phone 1016-M. 1 30 2 1

ONE MODERN light housekeeping room. 1128 State St. 1 30 2 2

FOR RENT—Two bedrooms and sitting room. 121 West Ave. S. 1 30 31

FOR RENT—Furnished, city heated room. Phone 656-M. 1 29 30

MODERN furnished rooms for rent. Phone 338-R. 1 28 30

FURNISHED room for rent. Inquire 617 Cass St. 1 30 2 1

FURNISHED rooms. City heat. 531 Main. 1 30 2 1

ONE MODERN furnished room. 807 State. 1 28 30

FOR RENT—Furnished room. 133 So. 11th. 1 28 2 1

MODERN furnished room at 402 No. 6th. 1 30 31

FURNISHED room. City heat. 132 So. 7th. 1 30 31

MODERN furnished room. 119 No. 10th. 1 29 31

FOUR ROOMS for rent. Call 2632-C. 1 28 31

FURNISHED room. 615 Wall. 1 27 30

For Rent—Houses and Flats

CITY HEATED modern four-room apartment. Private bath, porch and entrance. Furnished or unfurnished. 703 King. 1 30 2 5

MODERN furnished four-room upper flat with sleeping porch. 821 So. 15th. 1 20 2 1

FOUR VERY pleasant rooms, partly modern. 1716 Winnebago. 1 29 30

TO RENT—Modern flat, second floor. 615 Mill. Phone 1862-M. 1 29 31

FIVE-ROOM modern flat. Inquire Room 212, State Bank Bldg. 1 30 2 1

SIX-ROOM house. Modern except heat. Inquire 315 So. 3rd. 1 29 31

FOR RENT—Flat. 209 State St. Apply at Dietz Garage. 1 29 2 4

FOR RENT—Six-room cottage. Inquire 205 Mill. 1 28 30

MODERN house and flat. Phone 2235-R. 1 24 30

MODERN flat. 228 Madison. 1 28 31

AUTOMOBILES

AUTO RADIATORS frozen? Have them repaired the right way. Non-bursting freeze proof radiators for sale. Written guarantee. Badger Auto Radiator Works, 113 Pearl. Phone 288. 1 6 tf

RADIATORS repaired, recored, rebuilt, fenders, bodies and gas tanks. Quick service. Work guaranteed. La Crosse Auto Radiator Service, 108 South 2nd St. Phone 313. 1 23 tf

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MONEY TO LOAN on real estate. Fries-Niebuhr Agency, 309-312 Newburg Bldg. 7 22 tf

Situation Wanted—Female

HIGH SCHOOL girl wishes to work for board and room. Call 1804-C after 4 p. m. 1 30 30

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ALL MAKES sewing machines repaired promptly. Machines bought and sold. Sewing machine repair shop. H. Kathary, 904 So. 4th St. Phones, shop 1305-A; residence 2275-M. 1 8 2mo

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SEE THE NEW Super Dalton. Dalton Adding Machine Sales Co., 215 Rivoli Bldg. 1 30 12 3

WANT TO RENT

WANTED—Room between King and Division and 5th and 8th by lady. Call 2711-M. 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. 1 30 31

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CLAIMS collected on percentage or bought outright. Commercial Service Bureau, 314 Newburg Bldg. 6 21 tf

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WANTED TO BUY—Used clothing in good condition. Will pay reasonable cash price. Phone 1580-R. Jan 6 1mo

WANTED—Small cash register. 1320 Rose. 1 30 31

MISCELLANEOUS

EVENING school at the Keefe Business College. Low rates. Personal attention. Success sure. Call, write or phone for further information. 1 28 2 10

$10.00 PER MONTH on a $100.00 purchase starts you housekeeping. Boyer-Furber Furniture Company. 1 1 18 tf

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FOR GENERAL delivery and household moving call 2575-Green. 1 4 1mo

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WANTED—Work by young man. Normal graduate. Phone 1258-A. 1 30 2 2

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LOST—Sunday night in downtown district, white gold bar pin with six small diamonds. 316-318 Linker Bldg. Liberal reward. 1 29 31

LOST—On Farnam street between Twelfth and Fourteenth, pongee middy. Finder call 1110. Reward. 1 30 31

LOST—Black purse, between 2016 Kane, south side and Indian Hill, containing money. Call 1526-C. 1 29 30

LOST—Child's white neck fur near 8th and Division. 704 Division. Reward. 1 29 31

LOST—White silk neck scarf near 9th and Hood. Reward. Phone 3381-A. 1 29 30

LOST—Pair of ice skates. Reward. Phone 773-A. 1 30 31

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GENUINE STANDARD TYPEWRITERS, Underwoods $3 down and $5 per month. 10 days' trial FREE. 5 year money back guarantee. Factory rebuilt. All typewriters sold on easy terms. Typewriters Rented and Repaired. C. A. KREBAUM. 1 27 2 26

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LEGAL NOTICES

Notice to Creditors

State of Wisconsin, in Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Nels Johnson, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased. Letters of administration with the will annexed in said matter having been granted to Elise Johnson of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that four months after the 30th day of January, A. D. 1923, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 5th day of June, A. D. 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 29th day of January, 1923.

By the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.
J. E. HIGBEE and O. J. SWENNES,
Attorneys for the Administratrix,
401 Rivoli Building,
La Crosse, La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids for the closing up of the following breaks in Black River at Tank and Shingle Creeks, two minor breaks north of Lytle, Hammond and Dodge Shutes, and two breaks in levee near White Oak Springs will be received at the office of the County Clerk of La Crosse County. Plans and Specifications on file in the Office of the County Clerk. Bids to be opened Feb. 8, 1923, at 10 A. M.

Committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Address all bids to Black River Improvement Committee of County Board of Supervisors of La Crosse County, Wisconsin.

Dated January 23, 1923.

BARNEY OLSON,
EMIL KNUDSON,
FRED GODDARD,
Black River Improvement Committee.

LA CROSSE CASES TO BE ARGUED BEFORE THE SUPREME COURT

Three La Crosse cases will be tried in the supreme court at the next hearing of cases on the January calendar. The mandamus suit of Drs. Wolf and Smedal against the La Crosse Lutheran Hospital association, the damage case of Mrs. Anna Sherman against the city of La Crosse and the La Crosse Refining company, and the suit of Mrs. Julia Peterson and her daughters against A. J. Weimar over a house bought by the Petersons from Weimar, in which case Sam Birmingham is alleged to have obtained most of the money, will be argued.

WOMAN'S SUIT OVER DUMPING REFUSE ON DOORSTEP IS HEARD

The damage suit brought by Mrs. Mary Bakalares, 911 Adams street, against Mrs. Barbara Bartusek, 1516 South Seventh street, was heard before Judge C. W. Hunt Monday afternoon. The court took the case under advisement. Mrs. Bakalares asks $75 actual damages and $125 punitory damages. The trouble between the families had almost reached the proportions of a feud. Mrs. Bakalares charged that Mrs. Bartusek had dumped refuse on her doorstep.

FIRE DAMAGES BARN OF LOUIS GAUTSCH MONDAY AFTERNOON

Fire which involved a loss and damage estimated at between $400 and $500 occurred in a shop and barn, the property of Louis Gautsch, 827 South Ninth street, about 3 o'clock Monday afternoon.

Officials can explain no other cause for the fire other than that it started from a stove in the building. The flames first started in a shop, and spread to the hay mow of the barn in connection. Most of the damage was done to the shop and an automobile stored there.

DAILY MARKETS

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK—Liberty bonds at 1 p. m.:

3½s ..	101.64	Third 4¼s .	98.76
First 4s ...	98.50	Fourth 4¼s	98.36
Second 4s .	98.50	Victory 4¾s ..	
First 4¼s ..	98.52	uncalled	100.18
Second 4¼s	98.06	New 4¼s ..	98.94

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK—Fluctuations at the opening of Tuesday's market were trifling with a continuance of the recent demand for low priced railroads, especially St. Paul preferred, Southern Railway, Missouri Pacific and Pere Marquette. Specialties were in the main better but some profit-taking showed in the public utility group, particularly for Adams Express, Consolidated Gas, New Stock, and Columbia Gas and Electric.

Secondary operations showed a resumption of Monday's bear selling of particular issues, Pan American, Studebaker and Baldwin sagging a point or more with General Asphalt, American Hide and Leather preferred, Crucible Steel, Goodrich and General Electric receding large fractions. Meantime, absorption of railroad shares was on an increased scale, particularly Chesapeake and Ohio, which advanced to a new high figure for the year. Chicago and Northwestern, Illinois Central and Pittsburgh and West Virginia also were in demand at substantially higher figures. Steel and Tube preferred mounted 3⅝ to 103½, which compares with Monday's low figure at 94, to which the stock dropped after ending Saturday at 104¼. California Petroleum, American Tobacco, Reynolds Tobacco B, Continental Can and Pacific Gas and Electric were advanced 1 to 1½ points. Foreign exchange rates were higher all around, with sterling up 1½.

Efforts to bring about further liquidation of industrial shares by bear attacks against special issues were frustrated by the steady absorption of the investment rails. Declines of a point or so had been registered by a number of popular industrials but these were recovered to a large extent before midday when the demand for the carriers became more general. Omaha preferred was pushed up 3¼ points, Chicago and Northwestern 2⅛, Illinois Central 2¼ and Atlantic Coast Line 2.

Substantial gains also were made by a number of specialties, Liggett and Myers rising 7½ points, Remington Typewriter first preferred 3 and California Petroleum, General Electric, Westinghouse Electric, Packard Motor preferred and Mathieson Alkali. Atlantic Gulf was supplied freely and dropped three points. Call money opened at 4½ per cent.

The bulls continued to rivet their attention on railroad stocks, but even there a few shares succumbed to profit-taking, notably Baltimore and Ohio and Norfolk and Western. Advances of one to three points were accomplished, however, in Omaha, Reading first and second preferred, Pittsburgh and West Virginia common and preferred, Union Pacific and Missouri Pacific, textile and gas issues ruled considerably higher, also United States Alcohol, Kelsey Wheel, Lima Locomotive, Postum Cereal and Tobacco Products A. Free offerings of the domestic oils, Baldwin, Studebaker, Crucible Steel, Anaconda and North American was resumed, the shares declining one to two points.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET

CHICAGO, Ill.—Buying based more or less on warlike aspects of European developments led to a little higher price in the wheat market Tuesday during the early dealings. On the upturns, however, rather free selling took place. Bears put stress chiefly on what were referred to as the tremendous strength of Canadian wheat in bond in this country. The opening, which ranged from ⅛c off to a like advance, with May $1.16⅜ to $1.16½ and July $1.11⅞, was followed by a general advance interrupted by slight temporary setbacks.

Subsequently falling off in primary receipts tended further to stimulate buying and so likewise did chances that freezing temperatures would damage winter wheat. The close was firm ¾ to 1¼ net higher with May $1.17¼ to $1.17⅜ and July $1.12¼ to $1.12⅜.

Continued drought in Argentina gave strength to the corn market and to oats as well. After opening ⅛ to ⅛c higher, May 72⅝ to 72¾c, corn held firm at around initial top figures.

Oats started a shade to ⅛ to ¼c up, May 43⅞ to 44c, and later scored slight further gains.

Higher quotations on hogs gave a lift to the provision market.

CHICAGO GRAIN RANGE

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	116⅜	117½	116	117¼
July	111⅞	112½	111⅞	112¼
Sept.	109¾	110⅛	109⅞	110
CORN—				
May	72⅝	73	72⅝	72⅞
July	72⅞	73¼	72⅝	73⅛
Sept.	72½	73	72½	73
OATS—				
May	43⅞	44¼	43⅝	44¼
July	42	42⅞	41⅞	42¼
Sept.	41	41⅞	41	41⅛
PORK—				
Blank.				
LARD—				
Jan.				11.30
May	11.35	11.35	11.32	11.45
RIBS—				
Jan.				11.10
May	11.00	11.12	11.00	11.00

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK

CHICAGO, Ill.—United States Department of Agriculture—Hogs—Receipts 30,000; early market 15 to 20c higher; later slow; bulk 150 to 200 pound averages, $8.70 to $8.80; top, $8.80; bulk 210 to 230 pound butchers, $8.45 to $8.65; bulk 240 to 300 pound butchers, $8.25 to $8.40; weighty packing sows around $7.25; desirable pigs, $8.10 to $8.65; heavy weight hogs, $8.20 to $8.40; medium, $8.35 to $8.75; light, $8.60 to $8.80; light lights, $8.60 to $8.80; packing sows, smooth, $7.25 to $7.60; packing sows, rough, $7.00 to $7.30; killing pigs, $8.15 to $8.65.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; slow; few early sales beef steers, beef cows and heifers about steady; tendency weak to lower on the classes; early to matured steers, $11.00; weight 1571 pound bulk beef steers of quality and condition to sell at $8.25 to $9.50; other killing classes largely steady; heavy beef bulls slow, weak; stockers and feeders slow.

Sheep—Receipts 17,000; fairly active; killing classes generally steady; early top fat lambs $15.15 to city butchers; some held higher; clipped lambs mostly $12.50 with heavies out at $11.00; choice 92 pound fed yearlings wethers, $13.00; clipped 95 pound yearlings, $10.50; two loads desirable 125 pound ewes, $7.50; feeders 25c higher; about 2,000 choice feeding and shearing lambs, $15.50.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Ill.—Butter—Lower; receipts 13,634 tubs; creamery extras, 49½c; standards, 47½c; extra firsts, 47 to 48c; firsts, 45½ to 46½c; seconds, 41 to 45c.

Cheese—Lower; twins, 25 to 25¼c; twin daisies, 25 to 25¾c; single daisies, 26c; Americas, 27c; long horns, 26¾c; brick, 24 to 24½c.

Eggs—Lower; receipts 18,008 cases; firsts, 33 to 33¼c; ordinaries firsts, 30 to 31c; miscellaneous, 32 to 32½c.

Poultry—Alive, higher; fowls, 19 to 23c; springs, 20c; roosters, 14c.

CHEESE

PLYMOUTH, Wis.—Plymouth board cheese quotations for week: Market slightly lower; twins, 24½c; single and double daisies, 25c; long horns, 25¼c; Young America and squares not quoted.

Farmers' co-operative board cheese quotations for week: Market slightly lower; twins, 24½c; singles and doubles daisies, 25¼c; long horns, 25¾c; Young Americas, 26¼c; squares, 26⅝c.

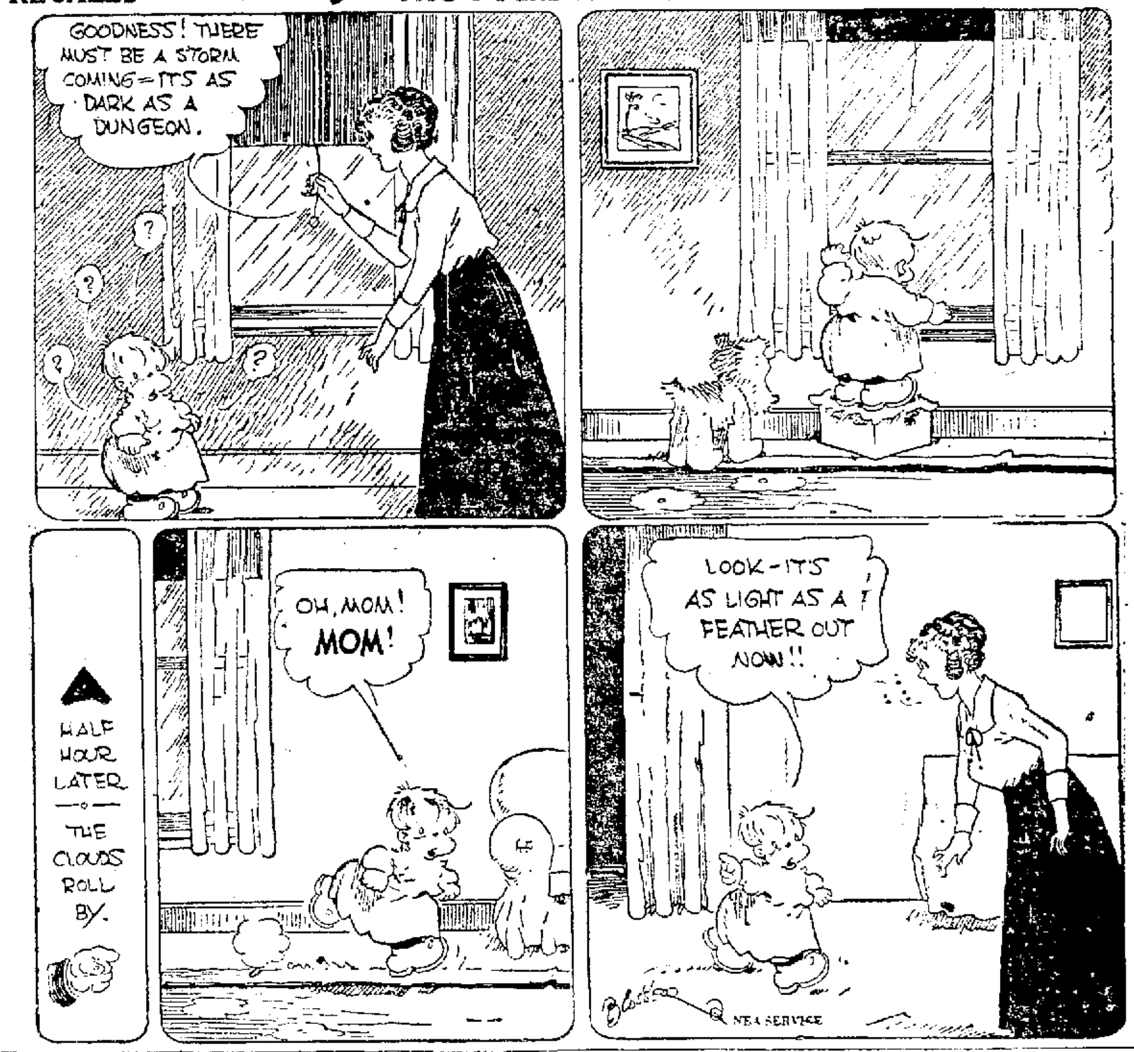
MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn.—Flour unchanged. Shipments, 47,738 barrels.

A gold film thin enough to be transparent has been produced.

THE DUFFS A PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION BY ALLMAN

FRECKLES TAG PULLS A NEW ONE BY BLOSSER



BLAINE ASKS DATA ON CARE OF VETS IN OTHER STATES

Addresses Governors in Attempt to Fix Cause for Crime Among Service Men

MADISON, Wis.—In an attempt to determine the basic cause for criminality among former soldiers of the world war, Governor J. J. Blaine of Wisconsin has written the governors of all states asking them to advise him of conditions among ex-service men confined in their prisons.

The Wisconsin governor recently instituted a thorough investigation of the problem here, when he says he found that nearly one third of the inmates of penal institutions were ex-service men. Major W. F. Lorenz, director of the Wisconsin Psychiatric Institute, and a widely known mental expert, was placed in charge of the Wisconsin investigation. He is reported to have found that mental troubles arising from experiences of the war had led to criminal tendencies in many former soldiers. As a result large numbers are said to have been sent to the Wisconsin prisons.

On the basis of this report, Governor Blaine is pardoning many of the men in order that they may be sent to government institutions for treatment. He feels that similar conditions exist in other states and is asking the governors to help investigate and solve the problem.

POOL CONTESTS

Safford defeated Huebner at the Safford Billiard Room Monday night. The score was 75 to 45. Game tonight, Wittenberg at Sheldon's.

POTATOES

CHICAGO, Ill.—Potatoes—Steady; receipts 63 cars; total United States shipments, 582; Wisconsin sacked round whites, 85 to 90c cwt.; few best at 95c cwt.; poorer at 80c cwt.; Idaho sacked round whites, 95c to $1.05 cwt.; Idaho sacked Russets, $1.20 to $1.25 cwt.

OBITUARY

JOHN STREETER

John Streeter died Sunday night after a lingering illness. He was born in Drammen, Norway, in 1850, and came to this country when a young boy. He traveled for Mons Anderson Co. for several years and then went into business for himself at Whalan, Minn. Later on he came back to La Crosse and was actively engaged in the dry goods business on the north side until five years ago.

He was register of deeds for two terms, a charter member of the Lutheran hospital and an active member of the Trinity Lutheran church. For several years he was treasurer of the church extension fund of the Lutheran church. In 1878 he was married to Matilda Simenson, who died seven years ago. The survivors are a brother, Olaf, Tacoma, Wash., a daughter, Adah, at home, and a son, Elmer, Brookfield, Mo.

Funeral services will be held from the home, 1343 Liberty street, Thursday, February 1, at 2 o'clock and from the Trinity Lutheran church at 2:30.

MRS. A. K. ERICKSON

The funeral of Mrs. A. K. Erickson, who died recently in California, will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. from Our Saviour's Lutheran church, Sixth and Division streets, Rev. H. G. Magelssen officiating. Interment in Oak Grove cemetery.

MISS S. M. ROTHERMEL

Miss S. M. Rothermel, assistant treasurer and auditor of the Wisconsin Railway Light and Power company with headquarters at Winona, died at Milwaukee Saturday night, according to word received by Superintendent Hedges here. Miss Rothermel was well known in La Crosse and made periodical visits here to check up the books of the street car company. She had been ill several months and had been in a Milwaukee hospital since December.

OIL INQUIRY NEAR END

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Plans have been made by the senate manufactures subcommittee investigating conditions and prices in the oil industry to bring the inquiry to an end within ten days, it was announced on Sunday. As soon as the hearings are closed, work will be started by the subcommittee on its report, which is to be presented to the senate before adjournment of congress in March.

Japanese firms are buying seeds in Oregon to replace forests as they are cut down.

FRED WENZEL BACK IN THE HAT WORKS AND HERE TO STAY

Returns from Chicago to Take up the Business Which He Founded

Fred Wenzel is back in the La Crosse Hat Works, 526 Main street, the business which he founded.

After several years of globe trotting, during which he made a trip to Japan and China with his wife, and later engaged in business in Chicago, Mr. Wenzel has returned to La Crosse to re-enter the hat works. He is back at the old stand this week.

"This is the best place in the world in which to live, and we are back in La Crosse to stay," said Mr. Wenzel this morning, when found at the old stand.

Mr. Wenzel said that Philip Pederson would remain in the business.

GEORGE TEARNEY ASKS $60,000 FOR INJURY RECEIVED ON ENGINE

George Tearney asks $60,000 for injuries received while working as a fireman on the Milwaukee road. Tearney alleges that he received injuries to his spine while passing from the cowl of the tender of a locomotive to the water tank, because of a faulty and insecure step. In the fall, he alleges his spine was hurt. The accident occurred on Jan. 29, 1921, at Sparta.

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CABINET FAMILIES ACCUSED OF GRAFT BY SENATOR'S WIFE

Go Shopping in Government Autos and Take Trips in U. S. Boats, Says Mrs. Poindexter

WASHINGTON, D. C.—A letter written by Mrs. Miles Poindexter, wife of the Washington senator, to a Seattle newspaper, in which she sharply assails wives of the cabinet officers for alleged petty graft at government expense, has caused a storm in official society circles here.

The letter also reveals that the Poindexters and Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Denby are decidedly at "outs."

Frank in Her Criticism

Mrs. Poindexter, in an amazingly frank manner, complains because:

1. Wives of cabinet officers go shopping in government limousines.
2. Mrs. Denby can give "at homes" and have the famous marine band furnish music.
3. Secretary Denby took his family to the orient last summer.
4. "The war department furnishes good looking officers for functions given by the secretary of war."
5. The botanical gardens furnish flowers for the house of secretary of Agriculture Wallace.

Senators Self-Denying

Mrs. Poindexter says she cannot understand why senators vote government automobiles for cabinet officers and then deny them to themselves. Senators, she believes, need them more than secretaries.

The Denbys were given "special mention" in the letter and, according to society gossips, relations between Denby and Poindexter, who is acting chairman of the senate naval affairs committee, have not been friendly since the former declined to make speeches for the senator in the last campaign.

Mrs. Poindexter's comment on cabinet society is interesting because her husband is being boomed for secretary of the interior.

Shop in Government Autos

"Uncle Sam is quite generous to the secretaries," Mrs. Poindexter's letter states, in reference to the wife of a cabinet member making a shopping trip in an automobile said to have belonged to the government.

"He furnishes them with drivers and automobiles so that they can go about most comfortably with no expense to themselves.

"If I were choosing, I think I should ask to be made secretary of the navy, because there seems to be so much that goes with it. An automobile with a driver, the use of those fine small boats that go about in the waters here, and the wonderful trips, such as the one that Secretary Denby and his family took to the Orient last summer; and besides all these things when the secretary's wife has her 'days at home' she can have the marine band to furnish music for her functions."

BADGER DIES AT 99

IRON MOUNTAIN, Wis.—The funeral of Joseph Grandpar Adams, 99 years of age and Iron Mountain's oldest resident, was held here Tuesday. Death, which came Saturday night, was unexpected, Mr. Adams apparently feeling well up to a few hours previous to his death. He is survived by his daughter, four granddaughters and one grand son.

GLIDING RECORDS BROKEN

CHERBOURG.—Andre Maneyrod, French aviator, broke all gliding records by remaining in the air eight hours, one minute, 26 seconds.

JIGGS AND MAGGIE IN MUSICAL SHOW ARE HERE TONIGHT

Jiggs Mahoney, the international character which George McManus created in his famous cartoon novelty, "Bringing Up Father," along with the rest of the Mahoney clan, will be seen in a brand new comedy of mirth, frolic, music and surprises at La Crosse theater tonight. In this latest epoch-making vehicle of unadulterated fun and screams Jiggs at last solves the problem of a lifetime—that of demonstrating that the proverbial worm is sure to turn some day. As we, who have followed the fortunes of this most beloved of public favorites for years, know Jiggs has been the most henpecked husband in captivity. Maggie, his better half, or worse, as he chooses to call it, has been a thorn in his side, making life for him one dirge and continual domestic jar. Jiggs says he has stood it long enough and now announces that he is going to show his worth as a man. How he does it, how he braves the conventions of married infelicity; how he defies the machinations of his wife and his other tradneers is humorously, wittily and musically shown and presented. The new play with all its unique features and innovations is entitled, "Father on His Vacation." From all accounts it is the acme of superfine perfection.

CITY RESTAURANT AT VIROQUA REOPENED; SNEARLY BUYS SITE

VIROQUA, Wis.—The City restaurant located just south of the Ford garage has been purchased by Gus Swanson and was opened by the new proprietor on Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Snearly, who have conducted a cafe in the Brown block have purchased the old Censor building now occupied by Helgerson and Keogan as a restaurant and will again establish themselves in the restaurant business.

Reuben Rundecker, well known former of Vernon county, recently passed away at his home near La Farge. He had been in poor health for several years. He was unmarried, but is survived by several brothers and one sister.

MITZI CAPTIVATES CROWDED HOUSE AT LA CROSSE THEATER

"Lady Billy" is as Adorable as Ever and Has Fine Company in Clean Play

Dainty, captivating, mischievous, blithesome and always adorable, Mitzi came back to La Crosse last night with a clever and good looking company to delight an audience at the La Crosse theater in her far-famed musical romance "Lady Billy."

Mitzi has personality—that's the outstanding feature of her performance, and she has so much of it that one follows her every word and gesture and smile, always with admiration. She is petite and graceful and has little teasing ways and a funny little laugh and a world of affection, which she bestows upon her husband, Boyd Marshall, who is her leading man, in a style which meets the hearty approval of the audience and makes the love scenes in the play intensely human.

Mitzi has been starred in America for ten years; still she is only 26 years old and she looks younger, particularly when she was masquerading as a mischievous boy in the play last night. Mr. Marshall gives her splendid support in the role of John Smith, while the entire company shows careful training. The chorus was exceptionally handsome, and the ensemble musical numbers scored well. There were several pretty songs Mitzi's solo numbers, "Come to Arcady" and "If" were charmingly tuneful. With her husband she sang "The Legend" and "Goodbye, Goodbye." Because of a cold Mitzi had difficulty in registering the high notes last night, but the songs went over big.

Mark Smith as Bateson, the butler-secretary, carried a comic role which kept the house in an uproar.

Vera Kingston has a powerful and sweet soprano voice. The Lady Billy male quartet was one of the outstanding features of the vehicle. The scenery was massive and handsome and the costumes beautiful. A packed house enjoyed the play.

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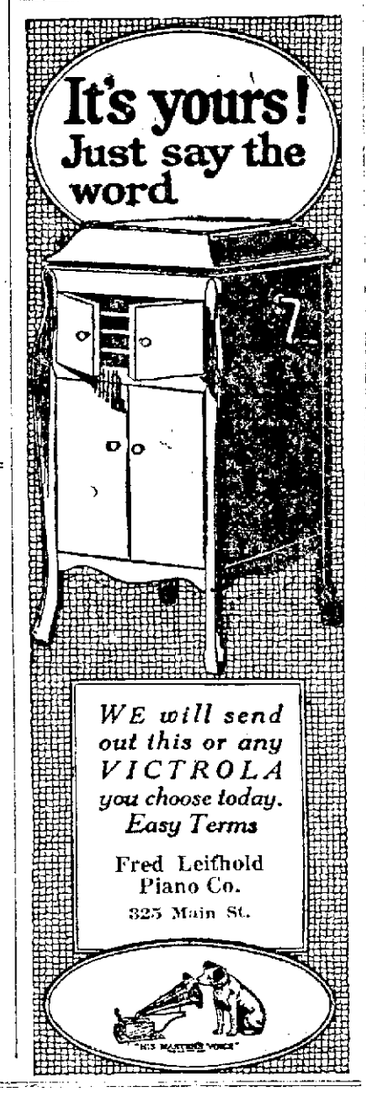

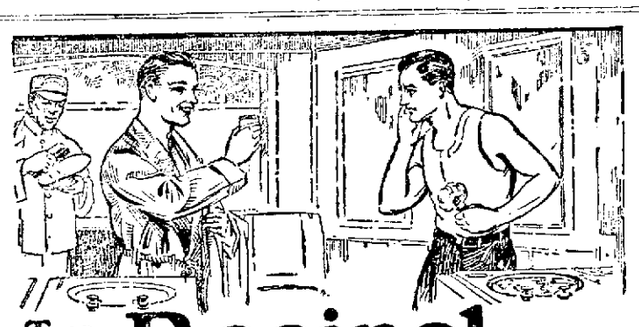

Try Resinol man, I'm sure it will heal your skin

What a miserable little biting sting there is, and how aggravated you are every time you touch that eruption! *Resinol Ointment is what you want.* Thousands have proved its remarkable healing powers by using it for the most stubborn cases of skin affection, with prompt beneficial results. It soothes while it heals.

The same soothing properties are found in Resinol Soap. It's a soap that men like because it gives a generous lather with an invigorating odor. Used daily it tends to preserve the healthy color and clarity of skin which every man desires.

Resinol Shaving Stick makes the daily shave a pleasure. *Ask your druggist for the Resinol trio.*

Nose stopped up? MENTHOLATUM quickly clears it.

JEHLEN'S

FOR GOOD SAUSAGES

PIGS FEET, at per pound	5c
NECK BONES, per pound	5c
PORK HEARTS, per pound	5c
SPARE RIBS, per pound	11c
PICNIC HAMS, per pound	12½c
PORK POT ROAST, pound	12½c
PORK PICNICS, per pound	11c
BEEF POT ROAST, pound	10c
SOUP MEAT, at per pound	5c

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DOERFLINGER'S

Greatest Final Reductions On Coats In Our Pre-Inventory Sale

Every coat in stock has already been greatly reduced in price but to insure a quick disposal we have made still greater reductions and at these prices you will not hesitate to purchase your coat immediately. Here are a few of the values offered.

1 COAT, selling formerly at $150, now **$50.00**

1 COAT, selling formerly at $89.50, now **$39.50**

1 COAT, selling formerly at $97.50, now **$39.50**

1 COAT, selling formerly at $69.50, now **$35.00**

ONE LOT OF STOUT COATS regular $25.00 values, at— **$9.50**

ALL COATS are radically reduced, some at Half-Price and some at Less than Half. This includes Fur, Plush and Cloth Coats. Some are priced as low as

$2, $3, $5, $7.95, $10, etc.

SUITS at ½ Price and ⅓ Off

Most of these suits are plain tailored models in styles that can be used for spring wear. Both regular and extra sizes.

Do You Need a Corset?

Here's a chance to get a good one cheap

We have a lot of odds and ends in corsets in such well known makes as Bon Ton, American Lady, Modart, Henderson and Warners. Every one is a high class garment, values from $3.50 to $6 in the lot, to close out at **$2.98**

The Early Shoppers Will Get In On This

We have a limited number of boxes of Montague's Plain and Fancy Assorted Cookies; each box contains six pounds or more. You'll get the most for your money when you buy one of these cartons at **98c**

Grocery Dept.—Basement.

A Special Sale of Paints and Varnishes For the Balance of This Week

Sherwin Williams Family Paint, per gallon	$2.89
Fort Dearborn House Paint, per gallon	$2.89
Sherwin Williams Best Paint, per gallon	$3.25
Superior House Paint, a pure linseed and oil paint made by Glidden & Co., per gallon	$3.25
Sherwin Williams Flat-tone Paint, per gallon	$2.85
Fort Dearborn Flat Wall Washable Paint, gallon	$2.65
Doerflinger Varnish, special at per gallon	$4.00
Du Pont Varnish, special for this sale at per quart	89c
De Pont Varnish, special for this sale, pints at	49c
Rodger's Stain Floor Finish, quarts at	$1.09
White Enamel, special for this sale, quarts	$1.29
Half Pint Can Stove Pipe Enamel special at	19c

PAINT DEPT.—BASEMENT.